WEATHER REPORT.
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 18.—Cloudy this p. m., tonight and Saturday; fresh NE changing to SE wind.
Northern California: Cloudy this p. m., tonight and Saturday; light N wind, changing to SE.

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POOL SELLERS' FIGHT.

Proposed Law Is the Question of the Hour at Capital.

Both Sides Are Lining Up For a Hard Contest.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 18.—The question of the hour in legislative circles yesterday seemed to be whether the anti-pool-selling bill would be approved or reported adversely by the Committee on Corporations.

This has become one of the most interesting battles of the season, involving, as it does, the interest of race tracks, of pool sellers, of Boards of Supervisors, and the welfare of the youth of the State. There is also involved a political strife at Sausalito.

The bill introduced by Senator Belshaw is the storm center of the pool-selling agitation. It prohibits the selling of pools and book-making on any trial or contest of skill, speed or power of endurance between men, animals or machines, etc., except when the pools are sold or the book-making is carried on within race track enclosures.

Recently there has been a great outcry against this measure from San Francisco by persons who argued that such a law would have the effect of re-opening the Ingleside track, which has been closed for many months by ordinance of the Board of Supervisors. But this is not the most serious opposition to the bill.

The real fight against it comes from the Oakland track, which foresees the opening of its rival track at Ingleside and desires to avoid the competition. Among the opposition are found the friends of Dan Burns and the pool-sellers at Sausalito, where all the pool-selling formerly done in San Francisco and around the bay is now conducted. Of course any law which would prohibit pool-selling outside the enclosures of race tracks would put an end to the Monte Carlo on the Sausalito water front.

Two factions have been formed over at Sausalito, one composed of the property owners and sojourners at the pleasure resort, and the other of the down town people and men of sporting proclivities. This has long been a bone of contention, and at the last election of Supervisors was made the chief issue of the campaign. The pro-pool selling party elected three out the five Supervisors or Trustees. That fact has been used here as one of the strong arguments why the law prohibiting pool selling should not be passed.

Frank Daroux, who runs the Sausalito pool rooms, says, "I should think that if the people want them it is pretty good evidence that they are not hurtful to the town."

And it is not denied that there is some force in the argument so far as this view of the case is concerned. Daroux also says, in answer to the assertions of certain property owners of Sausalito, who allege that the value of property is injured by the presence of the pool rooms that if the pool selling is permitted to continue he will undertake to rent every unoccupied place on the water front. By this Daroux means to say that when the pool rooms are in operation there are no vacant houses in Sausalito.

The matter came up yesterday afternoon before the Committee on Corporations and was discussed at considerable length. Attorney Treat and Mr. Harms, a resident of Sausalito, and Senator Belshaw represented the anti-pool room men, making extended arguments for the approval of the bill. Mr. Harms, who is a property owner, said that the value of property had decreased 50 per cent since the pool rooms had opened, a statement that does not agree very well with Daroux' assertion that the pool rooms make a demand for property. Senator Belshaw said that there had been some objection to the bill because certain persons had feared that it would have the effect of opening Ingleside track. He did not think that that would be the result, but in order that such an objection might be removed he would be willing to have inserted an amendment to the effect that nothing in the act should be construed as interfering with the power of municipal governments to regulate pool selling or gambling, or to prohibit it within the enclosures of race tracks. The committee grew weary of the subject before the arguments had been completed and decided to let the matter rest for the day and take it up at some future meeting.

DEATH OF A HERO OF TWO WARS.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—General Leonard F. Ross is dead at Galesburg, Ill., aged 77. He was a hero of two wars, having served with distinction in the United States army during the Mexican and civil wars. He was collector of internal revenues under President Johnson. His father was the founder of Lewistown, Ill.

JORDAN'S BREWERY SEIZED.

Livermore Man Was in Trouble With the Officers.

Knew, That He Was Arraigned by Revenue Men.

LIVERMORE, Jan. 18.—The horrible death yesterday of Wendal Jordan, the Livermore brewer, saved him from trouble with officers because of a violation of the revenue laws. He learned the day before that there was trouble in store for him, and while he was boiling to death in one of his beer vats officers were on the way from the railroad station to seize his brewery and perhaps arrest him.

He had been told that they would arrive on the morning train. Jordan mounted the ladder leading to the top of the vat after the clanging of the engine bell announced its arrival in Livermore. The brewer was dead in the boiling brew when the officers reached his establishment but a few blocks away from the railroad.

A short time ago revenue inspectors visited Livermore and made the discovery that Jordan had a quantity of unstamped beer on hand that his books did not account for. Further investigation led to the belief that his transactions with the Government were not exactly straight. After considering the matter the authorities decided to prosecute Jordan.

He learned of this the day before his death, and as though to prepare his friends for his impending trouble he told them that revenue officers had found two barrels of unstamped beer in his place and he quessed his mistake would cost him more than the beer was worth. He told them further that one of the officers would be in Livermore the following day to fix the matter up.

"But if he tries to cinch me," Jordan is reported to have said, "I will go to the city and deal with headquarters."

The following morning Jordan appeared to be very much pertrubed and not in his customary jovial frame of mind.

Before leaving his home in the morning he told his wife that he was going to the city on the afternoon train to settle his tangle with the revenue department. He did not mention to her that he knew the officers would be in Livermore that day.

When the officers reached the Livermore Brewery and learned of the proprietor's tragic death they telegraphed their superiors in San Francisco for instructions and were ordered to seize the premises.

COLLINS' FUNERAL

Services Were Held in Assembly Chamber Today.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 18.—The funeral of the late Barnabas Collins, Assemblyman from Butte, took place in the Assembly chamber today. At 1:30 P. M. the Senators met in the Senate chamber and marched in a body to the Assembly hall. The casket was placed in front of the clerk's desk and literally covered with flowers. Potted plants and immense floral pieces were grouped about the casket.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Charles Miel of this place.

After the services the remains were taken to the State plot in the Sacramento Cemetery and interred with State honors. The members of the Senate and Assembly marched in a body to the cemetery.

The honorary pallbearers were: Senators Flint, Maggard and Sims; Assemblymen Pendleton, Johnson, and Melick; T. L. Ford, T. H. Barnard, A. J. Johnston, C. K. McClatchy, Elwood Bruner, W. F. Knox, W. A. Anderson, J. W. Hughes, H. C. Bell and George Mott.

WAS MISREPRESENTED.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—A dispatch from London dated yesterday says:

There is no authority for the statement that Lord Pauncefote informed the Washington Government months ago that England would not object to the fortification of the waterway or the suspension of the Clayton-Bulwer treaty.

The Secretary of State authorizes the absolute contradiction of this statement. He has never received any such assurance from Lord Pauncefote nor from anyone else.

QUEEN A SICK WOMAN

Alarming Rumors as to Victoria's Health Circulated.

Denials Fail to Allay the Anxiety of the Public.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LONDON, Jan. 18, 3.15 P. M.—Alarming rumors were circulated today to the effect that Queen Victoria is seriously ill and that her family had been summoned to Osborne.

Inquiries by the Associated Press at Osborne at 2 o'clock this afternoon elicited a flat denial of the reports.

The Prince of Wales is not at Marlborough House, where no news has been received indicating that Her Majesty is not enjoying her usual health.

The Duke of York went to Sandringham this afternoon.

In spite of the denials from Osborne and Marlborough House, the rumors about the Queen's illness have alarmed the public and seriously affected the Stock Exchange.

According to early Cowes telegrams, the Queen was not well yesterday and had not improved today, but later news from Cowes says the Queen had been suffering from insomnia, but was better this evening.

Sir Francis Laking, surgeon to Her Majesty, has been called in to consult with Sir James Reid, Her Majesty's resident physician.

The Associated Press communicated with Osborne House at 6 o'clock this evening, and the member of the Queen's household, Lord Edward William Pelham-Clinton, replied that he was unable to discuss the matter further, but that a statement on the subject would appear in the court circular tomorrow.

NO REASON FOR ALARM.

LONDON, Jan. 18.—The Associated Press has received assurances from the Foreign Office that there is no reason for apprehension regarding the Queen's health.

BATCH OF BILLS

The Assembly Takes an Adjournment Till Monday.

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SACRAMENTO, Jan. 18.—The Assembly this morning referred Senate joint resolutions No. 3 and 4, relative to the city charters of Fresno and Pasadena, to the Committee on Municipal Corporations. The resolutions were passed upon favorably by the Senate yesterday.

Senate joint resolution No. 6, providing for the protection of the forest reserve, was adopted under suspension of the rules.

A motion to adjourn until Monday met with much opposition. Johnson and Melick insisted that the members should remain here Saturday, but were voted down and adjournment was taken until 11 A. M. Monday.

The following bills were introduced: A. B. 327—Irish, repealing the act of 1863, incorporating the town of Downieville. A. B. 328—Rutherford, regulating the requirements to admission in the State Normal Schools. A. B. 329—Macbeth, pertaining to primary elections. A. B. 330—MacBeth, amending the amendment of 1897 to the act of 1893 creating a public school teachers' annuity and retainment fund. A. B. 331—Cromwell, amending Section 374 of the Penal Code. A. B. 332—Cromwell, to prevent the spread of infectious and contagious diseases among poultry. A. B. 333—Cromwell, to amend Section 487 of the Penal Code. A. B. 334—Schlesinger, placing investment companies under the supervision of the Bank Commissioners. A. B. 335—Butler, amending Sections 339, 339, 341 of the Penal Code and adding two new sections relative to pawnbrokers. A. B. 336—Butler, regulating the construction of culverts under roads. A. B. 337—Radcliff, amending Section 208 of the Penal Code. A. B. 338—Radcliff, amending Section 207 of the Political Code.

MINING LAWS.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 18.—Assemblyman Ralston has been very active in pressing the legislation desired by the Mining Association and miners generally, and yesterday he succeeded in having passed through both Houses a joint resolution calling upon the United States Congress to pass the California Mineral Lands law, which has been pending in Congress at every session for a number of years. There was some little opposition in both Houses from men who objected to such speedy work, and thought that tomorrow would do as well. Ralston swept away these objections by representing that the failure to have such a law caused an annual loss to the State and that Congress would soon adjourn. It would be necessary, he said, to have this matter attended to as soon as possible, and it would look well to have the resolution adopted by both Houses in the same day.

DEATH ON THE RAIL.

Four Men Killed and Others Injured in a Collision.

Four Locomotives and a Dozen Cars Demolished in the Wreck.

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NORWAY, Me., Jan. 18.—A head-end collision between freight trains on the Grand Trunk Railroad near Lock's Mill early today resulted in the death of four men and serious injury of several others, and four locomotives and twelve cars were demolished. Both trains were very heavy, each being drawn by two engines.

The dead:

PETER THOMPSON, engineer, Montreal.

W. C. OLIVER, brakeman, Bangor.

Two unknown tramps.

One of the trains had a large quantity of explosives on board. The cars took fire, explosions scattered the embers in all directions and prevented effective work in putting out the fire.

WANT MONEY.

Caucus Held on U. C. Bills By Alameda Delegation.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 18.—The Alameda county delegation caucused again yesterday on the subject of financial aid for the University of California, and decided to invite President Benjamin Ide Wheeler, Senator Rowell of Fresno and Assemblyman Anderson of Solano to confer with them as to the proposed legislation.

Next Monday night was fixed upon as the time for holding the conference, providing President Wheeler can attend at that time.

Nothing further has been done in regard to University legislation, but it is thought at this time that there will be a fusing of interests along a line that will come within the general scope of the views of Governor Gage.

There are disagreements as to the means of aiding the University, but when a plan satisfactory in the main is evolved it will undoubtedly have all the friends of the college behind it.

STANFORD BILL IS DOOMED.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 18.—The commotion at Stanford University over the resignation and practical dismissals of professors has awakened a great deal of interest among the Senators and Assemblymen, and may have some effect upon the passage of the bills that have been proposed in aid of that institution.

The university plainly has not been helped by this internal strife. There was already considerable question of the wisdom of exempting its property and granting it corporate powers. Now the point has been raised that to grant to Stanford University the right to incorporate would be unconstitutional, as there is a provision in the constitution directed against the organization of corporations for special purposes. It would seem, therefore, that this bill is doomed. Beyond that much of the glamor that has suffused the institution has been dispelled by the plain discussions of the whole affair. Men have come to talk of the Stanfords as if they were only human beings, and it is no unusual thing to hear Leland Stanford sharply criticised, not only for the acts of his earlier life, but even in relation to his motive for the endowment of the university. In this temper and the general indisposition to reduce the taxable property of the State, it is not likely that Stanford will get a great deal of consideration at this session.

DIED AT POST OF DUTY.

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BENTON HARBOR, Mich., Jan. 18.—The Graham & Morton propeller City of Louisville burned to the water's edge early today at the dock where she was laid up for the winter. Charles Southworth, the watchman, was burned to a crisp. When the fire was discovered by persons on the dock the pumps in the vessel were working, showing that the watchman had been fighting the fire. It is supposed he was first overcome by smoke and then burned.

The City of Louisville was valued at $100,000.

UNCLE RALPH STARVED

The Famous Livermore Trapper Died of Starvation.

Food Was in His Cabin But He Could Not Reach It.

LIVERMORE, Jan 18.—"Uncle" Faville, the old deputy sheriff who died last Monday in his lonely cabin in San Antonio Valley in the wild mountain regions back of Livermore, starved to death with plenty of food within his reach. His cabin was well stocked, but the old man was stricken with paralysis as he lay on his bed, and was unable to assist himself.

He could see the food piled around him but could not reach it. He could, however, just manage to write in a little diary he kept by his side. This diary contains the man's own story of how he starved to death. It is pathetic in the extreme and was kept almost up to the last moment.

At the end of four days Faville was found by a man named Fowler, who happened along and discovered his plight. He tried to render what assistance he could in his rude but highearted way, but "Uncle Ralph" was too far gone. He told Fowler to hurry away to the nearest point where he could communicate with Livermore by telephone.

"Tell Arthur Feidler and the rest of my boys down there that if they want to see 'Uncle Ralph' before he goes to the other world they had better be lively," was Faville's message. It was delivered faithfully and responded to promptly.

A party consisting of A. W. Feidler, Charles Beck, Fred Sangmester and Tom Holly of Livermore and Everett Horton and Tom Green of Dublin left at once for San Antonio Valley.

Death followed them into the lonely little cabin, that had been Faville's home for sixteen years, four minutes after their arrival.

The old man was buried on the hillside at a spot he had selected himself for his last resting place. Simple services were conducted at the grave side by the friends who had hastened from Livermore as soon as it was learned that the old man's end was near.

Mr. Feidler returned today with the details of Faville's death.

Deceased was a deputy under Sheriff Morse at the time when Vasquez and Joaquin Murrietta were investing the Livermore Valley, and was one of the party that finally ran the noted bandits to earth. He was fearless to the last degree. He retired from office in 1853 and a year later went to the San Antonio Valley, where he led a life of retirement. His nearest neighbor was a rancher whose place was four miles away.

He had been a school teacher in New York before he came to California in 1852, and lived in his mountain home on the income he derived from property he had accumulated in the East. He was 73 years old.

HEEDS WARNING

Minister Loomis Makes Effective Protest to Venezuela.

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—The orders of the Scorpion to proceed to Guanoco from La Guayara have been countermanded and she will remain at La Guayara, where her presence is regarded as necessary.

By direction of the State Department Minister Loomis has protested to the Venezuelan government against the exercise of censorship over any of his official communications, and it is understood that the protests have been effective.

DEWEY DOWN WITH GRIP

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—The official victims of the grip continue in about the same condition today. Secretary Root is in bed but insists on signing important mail and trying to do some business. Admiral Dewey is able to sit up only part of the time. The disease has affected his stomach but he is slowly improving. Secretary Hay continues at work, though not by any means recovered from his last attack.

A Disastrous Fire.

LEBANNON, Tenn., Jan. 18.—Fire destroyed five of the leading business houses here and four others were badly damaged. The loss is estimated at $75,000.

REPORT TO THE SENATE.

Committee Cannot Investigate the Paris Commission.

Bill Introduced That Is of Interest to Married Women.

SACRAMENTO, Cala., Jan. 18.—The Senate Committee on Reformatories reported on that portion of the Governor's message relating to the Paris Commission which had been referred to it.

The committee set forth that the matter is not within its province.

No further action was taken in the matter.

Certain amendments to the San Diego charter were presented to the Senate by Senator Nutt.

Senate bill 17, providing that upon the death of either husband or wife the entire community property, without administration, shall belong to the survivor, came up on second reading file.

The measure was intended to grant to the wife the same right in community property which the husband has under the present law.

Smith of Kern says that the lawyers in the Senate are against the measure and that it would be defeated, but that he should vote for it.

After an extended discussion the measure was refused a third reading.

The Committee on Federal Relations reported favorably on the Senate concurrent resolution asking that Dr. Kinyoun be removed from office.

Adjournment was taken until 11 A. M.

SUPPORT JORDAN.

But Stanford Students Are Sorry to Lose Dr. Howard.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Cal., Jan. 18.—With the return of Dr. Jordan affairs have quieted down at Stanford and no further resignations are expected. The professors who have been reported as contemplating handing in resignations have all said that they will remain with the university.

The students regret the loss of Dr. Howard, and an open letter showing their appreciation of his services was passed around this afternoon and signed by about 200 students.

The letter reads:

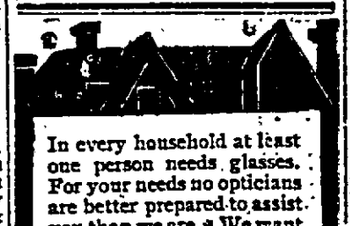
"To Dr. George Elliott Howard: Fearing that the action of the associated students in asserting their faith in Dr. Jordan may be misunderstood by you, we, as of those who supported such action, wish to offer you an explanation.

"You will readily realize that we have been confronted by an extremely delicate situation. On the one hand we have had to consider our duty to the university, and on the other the rights, convictions and unquestioned sincerity of those member sof the faculty most concerned, and the debt we owe them for what they have given us of themselves during our association with them. In reaching our final decision simply to declare the confidence we feel in Dr. Jordan, it has seemed best to us to leave out of consideration altogether all the merits of the controversies which have arisen. We have followed what appeared the only course fairly open to us as students and as beneficiaries.

"We cannot, however, express our regret at losing you from our faculty. Your influence has been felt not only by those of us who have known you personally, but it has permeated the whole being of the university. Upon students the effect of contact with you has been that of the ideal teacher. The place you have occupied in the life of the university cannot be refilled."

MINSTRELS POSTPONED

LIVERMORE, Jan. 18.—On account of the death of Wendal Jordan, the female minstrels entertainmnet has been postponed until some time next week, the date of which will be announced later.



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JOINT NOTE IS SIGNED.

Weary Negotiations at Peking Ended at Last.

Conger Reports That the Protocol Has Been Delivered.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—A message was received today from Minister Conger at Peking dated last evening stating that the Chinese plenipotentiaries had signed and delivered the protocol.

This removes the last doubt that had arisen as to the sealing of the agreement, for it would not have been accepted by the Spanish Minister, who is dean of the corps, unless it bore all the seals and signatures necessary to give it full force.

REAL ESTATE AUCTION SALE

SATURDAY, JAN. 19, 1901, AT 4 P. M. SALESROOM 1371 PARK STREET, ALAMEDA.

The following collection of houses and lots are to be sold regardless of value; most of them belong to estates and must be sold. If you desire a home this is a chance you may not get again for some time.

No. 1. Executors' sale: Choice piece of Park street property will be sold regardless of Park street values; lot 50x150, house of 7 rooms, Park street near Clement avenue.

No. 2. First class piece of property situated in the warm belt of Alameda; convenient to trains and cars; fine 7 room house, 2309 Lincoln avenue; lot 50x155. Terms can be arranged.

No. 3. Fine residence lot 50x150, Central avenue near High street, by order of the Alameda Bank. Terms, part cash.

No. 4. Administrator's sale of choice residence lot 67½x210 on Pearl street near Santa Clara avenue. Will subdivide. Terms can be arranged.

No. 5. Administrator's sale of four cottages and lots on Bank street between Oak and Park streets; also one lot on Oak street, opposite City Hall. Terms, part cash.

No. 6. Beautiful lot 50x150, is situated in the finest location in Alameda, on Central avenue near Chestnut street, between broad and narrow gauge depots. Owner gives instructions to sell on any bid. Small cash payment.

No. 7. Cottage and lot southeast corner Post and Madison streets, also lot adjoining must be sold on account of owner going East.

No. 8. Administrator's sale. Beautiful cottage of 5 rooms and bath; lot 50x150; located in the warm belt, No. 293 Johnson avenue. Terms $800—can remain on mortgage 7 per cent.

No. 9. Fine lot 50x150 on Blanding avenue near Park street.

No. 10. Fine modern 7 room house and lot, good location, No. 1829 Encinal avenue, near Lafayette street, near Chestnut street station.

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ALAMEDA CREEK'S ANNUAL SEEPAGE.

Engineer Allardt Disclaims Personal Acquaintance With the Subterranean World.

Proceedings in the water case opened this morning with Engineer George F. Allardt on the stand as a witness for the city. Apparently the succession of disasters which had befallen Lewis A. Hicks, alleged expert, has somewhat sickened Attorney Hayne of untried men with large theories and small experience.

Mr. Allardt said he had been a civil engineer for 17 years, his professional education beginning with a five years' apprenticeship to a druggist, who paid him the munificent sum of $30 for his first year's service.

Mr. Allardt recited a varied and extended experience. While in the employ of the Western Pacific Railroad he had superintended the construction of three bridges and had also acted as an expert in condemnation suits for the Spring Valley Water Company.

NO UNDERGROUND THEORIES.

Mr. Allardt was shown the famous Allardt-Browne map and asked what portion of it is his own work and what part the work of somebody else. He said the map was the result of a hydrographic survey of Alameda Creek made for the Spring Valley Water Company in 1889. Everything that could be ascertained by an examination of the surface was his work, also the lines showing the sea level and depth of water in the various wells delineated. All the markings of geological structure underneath were made by Professor Hilgard and Ross Browne for the purpose of elucidating their underground theories. Mr. Allardt was very careful to disavow all responsibility for the charting of the unseen and unexplored.

Mr. Allardt said he made certain measurements of the flow of Alameda Creek on December 7, 1896, which is usually a period of high water. At one point the flow was 44,440,000 gallons in twenty-four hours. Two miles below the flow was 42,075,000 gallons; at a still lower point 17,700,000 gallons, and at a still lower point 16,860,000 gallons, showing a total loss of 27,580,000 gallons. The loss by evaporation he estimated at one-tenth of one per cent. He accounted for this loss of water by saying it sunk in the gravel.

THE AVERAGE RAINFALL.

A study of the water records kept by the Contra Costa Company at San Leandro Lake showed the annual average of rainy days for the past nineteen years to be 48; the maximum was 60 and the minimum 32—the season of 1898-9.

During the forty-eight days of the rainy season Mr. Allardt estimated the daily flow of the creek to average one billion gallons daily, of which he computed that 119,776,000 gallons daily was lost in the sand, or a total average for the season of 7,189,000,000 gallons.

"What became of this water?" asked Hayne.

"It was lost in the sand and gravel of the creek bed. Anyhow, it disappeared from view.

NO SUMMER FLOW TO MEASURE.

"Did you make any calculations to show the loss during the summer season?"

"No."

"Why not?"

"The stream having been diverted by the Spring Valley Water Company, no water passed over the dam; hence there was no water to measure."

Mr. Allardt gave the results of four measurements of the water flowing over bedrock in Niles Canyon during the dry seasons of 1888 and 1889, when the creek bed below Niles was dry. From this he deduced the average flow of the creek during the rainless days of the year to be 11,501,500 gallons daily. In the natural condition of the stream he estimated the loss by infiltration in the gravel to be 3,615,000,000 gallons annually during the rainy season, making a total loss in this way of 10,835,000,000 annually, without making allowance for diversion. It must be borne in mind, however, that the Spring Valley Water Company, for whom Mr. Allardt took these measurements, takes practically all the water in the creek for the greater part of the year.

"What, in your opinion, becomes of the water that is lost by absorption of the sands?" Hayne inquired.

"I could not undertake to say," replied the veteran engineer. "I have no knowledge of what becomes of it after it passes underground."

This was such a visible disappointment to the lawyer that McCutcheon could not resist the temptation of tauting him with his failure.

"Mr. Allardt does not profess to see underground like Mr. Hicks and Professor Lawson, who see differently," he said.

RUN OFF OF ALAMEDA CREEK.

Mr. Allardt estimated the average annual rainfall to be 24 inches in the Alameda Creek watershed, which he said was practically the same as the San Leandro watershed. He computed that an average total of 208,000,000,000 gallons of rain falls annually over the entire watershed of Alameda Creek, of which 25 per cent, or 52,000,000,000 gallons, constituted the run off.

"What becomes of the other 75 per cent?"

"Some of it evaporates, a portion of it goes to feed vegetation, but by far the greater portion sinks into the ground."

SPRING VALLEY'S DIVERSION.

"The Spring Valley Company takes an average of 2,160,000,000 gallons annually out of the creek to San Francisco," said the Engineer. "This is diverted from the old dam in Niles Canyon. This has been reinforced by wells sunk in the Pleasanton basin. They have recently erected a new dam further up the canyon."

"Do I understand you to say that the Spring Valley Company takes practically all the water out of the creek during the dry months?" inquired McCutcheon.

"Yes."

"Then how much water infiltrates into the sand during the dry months?" asked Hayne, with a frown.

"None."

"I estimate that the Spring Valley Company diverts eight million gallons daily by the flume from the new dam. This is 2,920,000,000 annually. Allowing 300,000,000 gallons annually for back flow at a point where the creek bed is dry, makes the total deduction from the seepage inth e natural state to be 3,220,000,000 annually, leaving the acual average annual loss by infiltration into the gravel under present conditions to be 7,615,000,000 gallons."

Mr. Allardt said he had determined the superficial area of territory below Niles canyon underlaid by gravel by an examination of the various wells. He said this superficial area amounted to 5,500 acres. Hayne forebore to ask him any questions about the average thickness of this gravel or how much of it lies above sea level. Possibly he was deterred by the engineer's refusal to trace the underground course of the water that sinks in the sands of Alameda Creek.

Professor Lawson and "Expert" Hicks testified that the gravel averaged forty-five feet in thickness above sea level, in an area of six thousand acres, but cross-examination showed this to be a physical impossibility—a fact that is also proved by the Allardt-Browne map.

Hayne turned the engineer over to McCutcheon for cross-examination after making proof by him that Alameda Creek made a loss in its flow of 7,615,000,000 gallons annually between certain points, but this was accompanied by admissions that practically destroyed the value of this rather barren evidence.

RATHER FALLIBLE CONCLUSIONS.

Mr. McCutcheon's first efforts were directed to getting the engineer to make admissions which would show his seepage figures were based upon a very imperfect theory. He questioned the conclusion that the absorption during the wet season when the soil and sand was full of water would be proportionately as large as it is when the weather is dry and the stream restricted. The lawyer endeavored to make it appear that the difference was similar to the difference in absorbing power between a wet sponge and a dry sponge. Mr. Allardt contended that the principle more representated that governing artificial filtration, but the questions caused him to reflect deeply before answering—he had no mind to suffer the fate of Lawson and Hicks.

But he was compelled to admit that his calculations as to the average flow during the dry season was excessive by 2,000,000 gallons daily. This was shown by the rain records. This reduced his annual loss by infiltration to 6,981,000,000 gallons.

A recess was taken till 1 o'clock.

CUTTING THE SEEPAGE STILL LOWER.

In the afternoon Mr. Allardt estimated that the seepage for the three seasons prior to 1900 was 20 per cent below the normal on account of scanty rainfall, making the average for those years 5,584,000,000 gallons.

If all this seepage could be made available at any one point it would mean a daily supply of a trifle over 15,000,000 daily, or about 2,000,000 gallons more than is at present supplied to Oakland. As it is already drawn on to nearly half that extent at Alvarado and other points it is impossible to figure out from Mr. Allardt's estimate an artesian supply from this source sufficient to meet the present requirements of Oakland, to say nothing of the increasing demands in the future. Hicks estimated the present draught on this alleged underground reservoir at 2,000,000,000, which would leave a total of only 3,584,000,000 gallons available during such dry periods as the one through which we have recently passed. This would mean less than 10,000,000 gallons daily in the improbable event that it could all be collected at any one given point.

THE INFLOW LIMITED.

Mr. Allardt said he estimated the total absorbing capacity of the gravel beds as 10,000,000,000 gallons, or practically the maximum absorption for one year.

"Then if the capacity of the gravel bed is limited to the inflow of one year is it not limited to the inflow for the dryest year?"

"It would if it was emptied each year."

This answer completely demolishes the "reserve" theory of young Mr. Hicks, who depicted water bearing gravel projected fifty feet into the bedrock.

ANOTHER BLOW TO HICKS.

It developed during the cross-examination that at the time Mr. Allardt made his hydrographic survey the water in the wells at the Bell Ranch bridge, which is several miles nearer the bay, was twenty feet higher than in the wells at Niles. As this difference was on a hydrographic line and not a measurement from the surface, the theory of the voluble and versatile Hicks involved the water from his underground reservoir rising twenty feet above its source.

Further questioning brought out the fact that the average annual rainfall at San Leandro dam for the past nineteen years was 22.55 inches. This is a material reduction from Mr. Allardt's estimate of 24 inches for the Alameda watershed. The lowest rainfall for any single year recorded was 18 inches, but Mr. Allardt said he did not think it would reduce the inflow of the gravel bed to that extent. He estimated the absorption to be regulated by the number of rainy days, which was 32, the normal being 48. On this basis the absorption for that year would have been 4,792,000,000 gallons.

ALAS! POOR HICKS.

Mr. Allardt said an arc of 120 degrees covering a radius of three miles would bring the lagoon at Mallard very nearly in the center of the area. This was another body blow to Hicks, who accounted for the presence of that lake by saying it was at the intersection of two drainage lines.

"Do you know of any place in the bay of San Francisco where the water is fresh?"

"Not in San Francisco bay."

"Are you a geologist?" abruptly asked McCutcheon.

"I should hope not," was the reply.

"You don't profess to see into the bowels of the earth, then," said his honor with a smile.

"What is the total area of the creek channel from bedrock in Niles canyon to the Bell Ranch bridge?"

"It is 147 acres, or in round numbers 6,000,000 square feet."

"How much is the loss per square foot?"

"The loss measure was 27,000,000 gallons in twenty-four hours, which would mean four and one-half feet to each square foot."

"Is not a large portion of that area uncovered in the rainy season except when the creek is a torrent from exceptionally heavy rains?"

Mr. Allardt said he made his computation from a comparison of the flowing volume at different points and not on the basis of extent of the permeable surface. Professor Lawson used the area of permeable service as the basis of his estimate, assuming that fifty gallons of water would be absorbed for each square foot of gravel surface. The difference between fifty gallons and four and one-half gallons is obvious.

By an odd coincidence Professor Lawson came into the court room just as Mr. Allardt was answering the questions involving this explanation.

A PHYSICAL IMPOSSIBILITY.

"Mr. Allardt, you said the gravel bed was emptied annually?" asked Hayne on re-direct.

"Not exactly that. I said that the reservoir was emptied each year of the water that ran into it."

"Why do you say that?" in a nettled tone.

"Because when a reservoir is full it can take no more unless it is emptied or there is an outflow to correspond with the inflow."

Mr. Allardt said the capacity of San Leandro Lake was 5,000,000,000 gallons.

The case went over till Monday.

Yesterday's Proceedings.

Witness Hicks was still on the stand yesterday afternoon when THE TRIBUNE went to press.

TURNS AND RENDS HIS THEORY.

After Hayne again abandoned his damaged expert, McCutcheon took another fall out of him. He had previously testified that a well sunk anywhere in the artesian basin would tap the full pressure of the whole reservoir if sunk deep enough. McCutcheon first got him to admit that the water percolated through separate strata or gravel channels. Then he skillfully led him on to making a demonstration that some wells would flow much less water than wells immediately contiguous, and that no amount of pumping could augment the flow. The lawyer smiled grimly. At one stroke the witness had demolished his whole fanciful theory of tapping underground flow. He had previously been brought to admit that excessive pumping near the sea shore would be likely to draw salt water into the wells.

While the witness was giving his testimony such technical terms as co-efficients, co-ordinates, arc of a circle, permeable areas, etc., rattled off his tongue like hail off a shingle roof. In the matter of using scientific terms, Mr. Hicks discounted all the other experts who have thus far appeared. Mr. Hicks cheerfully went back a matter of 450,000,000 years and gave a rough description of the conditions existing at that time, though he was not certain whether the ocean broke a passage through the Golden Gate or whether the Sacramento river tore its way through the stony barrier. This was about the only point that Mr. Hicks was at all doubtful about.

Usually there is a refreshing certainty about Mr. Hicks' conclusions that positively invigorates.

Unfortunately in describing the manner in which the bay region was filled up his theory got something like 720 feet out of the way, perpendicularly speaking. Either the basin area has sunk 720 feet or the surface of the ocean has raised to that extent. The surveyor had stated that at one time the ocean tide reached up to the mouth of Niles Canyon. In elaborating his theory it became necessary to raise the ocean or sink the land. At this stage he gaily admitted that people generally could pay their money and take their choice—so far as he was concerned it was a matter of indifference to him whether the ocean raised or the land sunk. Geologists generally hold to the theory that the ocean has sunk and the land raised.

THE CONE CUT DOWN.

Soon there was more trouble for young Mr. Hicks.

He had described his cone as covering a radius of three miles west and south of Niles, describing an arc of 120 degrees. It appeared that the point which he indicated on the map as the western extremity of the cone is only a little over two miles instead of three miles from Niles. At that point the Allardt map shows a mean surface elevation of thirty-three feet above sea level.

"Does not that reduce your cone more than one-half?"

"No," replied the witness easily. "I have not said that map is correct yet."

"Do you say it is incorrect?"

"I don't know anything about it."

"How much does it reduce the size of your cone?"

"I don't think it reduces the cone any."

"If you reduce the arc of a circle of three miles with a radius of 120 degrees one-third, will it not reduce the area five-ninths; would it not?"

Witness fenced about for a while, and finally admitted that it would.

Urged by the relentless McCutcheon, he figured that the area of the cone on this new line of delimitation is 3,700 acres, instead of 6,600 acres.

"That reduces your reservoir nearly one-half, does it not?"

"Substantially, yes."

"Do you think that point marked on the map indicates the proper delimitation of the cone?" asked Hayne in a tired voice.

"Yes."

This admission involved the loss of nine thousand million gallons of water from the badly shrunken cone. It was the quickest loss of water on record.

The quivering victim was finally released with the announcement that he was compelled to leave at once for Arizona. He probably wishes he had stayed there.

The case went over till 9 o'clock this morning.

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The remarkable success of the Occidental Company induced its promoters to extend their operations in the same vicinity, and as a result another company was organized with many of the same stockholders that comprised the parent company. The new organization is known as the King Phillip Oil Company and promises to equal the Occidental in every respect.

The company's interests in Oakland are under the management of Messrs. Moran & Goldberg, with offices at 468 Ninth street.

The same gentlemen are also agents for the Occidental Company and handle other oil interests. Having had much experience in such work, they are thoroughly posted on all phases of the oil industry, and are well qualified to handle the work undertaken. Mr. Moran has been in personal attendance at the scene of operations, supervising the boring and testing, etc., and reports most encouraging results

Stock in the King Phillip is now quoted at 20 cents, and large blocks are being taken at this figure, the purchasers realizing that it will surely advance as operations at the well progress.

W. C. T. U. MAKES WAR ON POLYGAMY.

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—The Tribune says:

Mrs. Lillian M. N. Stevens, national president of the W. C. T. U., and Mrs. Susana M. D. Frey, the national recording secretary, have sent a petition to the Judiciary Committee of the House of Representatives asking that an amendment to the national constitution be proposed by that committee defining legal marriage to be monogamic and making polygamy in any form a crime against the United States punishable by severe penalties.

Stole His Watch.

George Abernathy, a young man who is wanted in Sacramento, was arrested last night by Detectives Wren and Dinan and lodged in the tanks at the City Prison. He was recognized through descriptions sent out by Chief of Police Sullivan of Sacramento. Abernathy is accused of stealing a watch valued at $300 from P. J. Von Loben Sels, Consul at San Francisco for the Netherlands. The theft occurred three weeks ago while the Consul was journeying by boat from San Francisco to his ranch near Sacramento. The watch has been recovered. Mr. Von Loben Sels is a resident of Oakland.

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PERKINS WILL WORK FOR THE HARBOR CLAIM.

Asks the Board of Trade to Send Him Facts.

At an executive meeting of the Board of Trade this morning the following letter received by President Marston from Senator George C. Perkins, under date of Washington, January 5th, relative to harbor improvements, was read:

"I am in receipt of your telegram of the 4th inst., relative to the deepening of Oakland harbor, and I would state that the bill was reported by the committee to the House yesterday, and Congressman Metcalf will endeavor to have the desired appropriation inserted in the bill by the Committee of the Whole. It is deemed best by the delegation to have the appropriation added to the bill by the House and I will see Congressman Metcalf and co-operate with him as far as it is proper for me to take part in matters before the House. Should the bill come to the Senate with the appropriation provided for, it will be easier to secure its retention than it would be to introduce it first in the Upper House. But should the House fail to act favorably, I shall do all I can to secure favorable action in the Senate.

"I would suggest that it would be well for the Board of Trade to furnish me as soon as possible data relating to the commerce of the port for use in arguing in favor of the appropriation. Such data should embrace the amount and character of shipping, size of vessels, draft, etc., and such other facts as will readily occur to the Board as pertinent. I would suggest that attention be called to the enterprise of Balfour, Guthrie & Co. in shipping wheat and receiving coal, and enlarge upon the growing commerce of which this is an example, which demands the best possible facilities in order that it may not be checked. The Board will understand how to best present the matter, and I shall hope to receive the information shortly. Yours very truly,

"GEORGE C. PERKINS."

After a very brief debate, Secretary Craigie Sharp was instructed to gather and compile the necessary data and forward the same to Senator Perkins.

Lecture by Noted Theosophist.

Mr. C. W. Leadbeater of London will lecture at Hamilton Hall, Thirteenth and Jefferson streets, Tuesday, January 22, at 8 P. M., on "Some Misconceptions About Death." Admission 25 cents.

HOUSE PROCEEDINGS.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—The House went into Committee of the Whole, Mr. Hemenway of Indiana in the chair, for the consideration of bills on the private calendar. The first bill on the calendar was the bill to refer to the Court of Claims the claims of the William Cramps & Sons Ship and Engine Company arising out of the delay of the Government in furnishing armor for the New York, Columbia, Massachusetts and Indiana.

It was agreed, however, that other bills to issue duplicate checks and bonds for lost originals should take precedence. These were ordered favorably reported. They were as follows:

For the relief of Abbie N. Waterman, C. C. Shiffen, E. B. Atwood and William H. Comegys.

M'KINLEY OUT AGAIN.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—The President was feeling so much better this afternoon that he took a drive behind his new team. Before doing so he went to his office and signed some mail matter. He will not receive visitors before next Monday.

The usual Cabinet meeting has been dispensed with.

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FRANK—ANDERSON—In this city, January 16, 1901, by Rev. E. R. Dille, Andrew Aloyis Frank and Gertrude Maria Anderson, both of Alameda, Cal.

Died.

RISCHMULLER—In this city, January 17, 1901, Mrs. Betty Rischmuller, beloved mother of Mrs. Fred Becker, George, Diedrich and Henry Rischmuller, a native of Bremen, Germany, aged 89 years, 5 months and 27 days.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral services SUNDAY, at 2 o'clock P. M., at the residence of Mr. Fred Becker, 1252 Grove street. Interment Mountain View Cemetery.

CORNOR—In this city, January 17, 1901, Charles Wilson Cornor, husband of Mrs. F. H. Cornor, father of Mrs. W. F. Williams of New Bedford, Mass., Mrs. H. G. Chappel and Charles B. Cornor, a native of Ohio, aged 74 years, 10 months and 26 days.

Funeral will take place SATURDAY, January 19th, at 2 P. M., from Taylor's Undertaking Parlors, 1211 Clay street, under the auspices of the General Relief Committee, I. O. O. F., of Oakland. All Odd Fellows are invited to attend.

DANGERFIELD—In this city, January 17, 1901, Amelia Dangerfield, dearly beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Marsden, grandaughter of the late Louisa France and beloved sister of Hetty, William Henry Marsden, and aunt of Sidney Le Brottie, a native of Philadelphia, aged 21 years, 5 months and 21 days.

Friends and acquaintances are respectfully invited to attend the funeral SATURDAY, January 19th, at 1:30 P. M., from the residence, 1728 Poplar street. Interment Mountain View Cemetery.

ZAHN—In Applegate, January 16, 1901, R. George Zahn, beloved husband of Lillian M. Zahn, father of Muriel Zahn and brother of Olga Zahn, aged 29 years.

Funeral and interment private. No flowers.

BEATON—In this city, January 17, 1901, John Beaton a native of Nova Scotia, aged 70 years.

McANNEY—In Alameda, January 17, 1901, Bernard W. McAnney.

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SMALLPOX IS SPREADING IN MANY SECTIONS

Health Department Is Alarmed Over the Situation.

Pesthouse Is Badly Needed By the Medical Fraternity.

SMALLPOX REPORTED.

J. Alvis, Havens street, Watts tract, North Oakland.
E. H. Winston, Havens street, North Oakland.
Frank Cardona, 655 Myrtle street, West Oakland.
Elizabeth Shephard, 1571 Twenty-third avenue, East Oakland.

Two new cases of smallpox have been discovered by Health Officer Todd, and the Health Department is now considerably perturbed over the question of what to do in the way of isolating the four cases already on hand and those that might come in almost any moment.

Of the new cases that of Frank Cardona, an Italian vegetable peddler, residing at 655 Myrtle street, was located last night by the Health Officer; and this morning another case was found—that of Elizabeth Shephard, 1571 Twenty-third avenue.

As the matter now stands, in the absence of a public pest house where all such cases might be bunched and isolated and properly quarantined, there are already three residences under quarantine—the home of Constable Roberts on Havens street, North Oakland, where the cases of J. Alvis and E. H. Winston, a colored porter in the employ of the Pullman Palace Car Company, are being looked after; the residence of Frank Cardona in West Oakland, and the Shephard dwelling in East Oakland.

All of the cases are regarded as serious, and Health Officer Todd is no longer hiding the fact that he is alarmed and that drastic measures have got to be taken by the city to provide a pest house.

Dr. Todd's alarm is particularly accentuated by the fact that he has been unable to trace the origin of three of the cases, and he predicts regretfully that there will be more smallpox.

In discussing the matter of the compensation of the persons who acted as nurses and guards over the quarantine of several cases now recovered, with Councilman Mott, chairman of the Finance Committee, last evening, the latter remarking that Oakland had been very lucky in the matter of smallpox, Dr. Todd replied:

"Yes, much more so than we can expect to be from now on. Two cases were discovered in the past two days, and we have been unable to trace the origin of either. In trying to trace the origin of the Cardona case I went through West Oakland and visited many colored people, believing that I might get some trace, but all with no avail."

Health Officer Todd said that no time should be lost in providing some kind of a hospital where all such contagious diseases can be properly cared for. He bases his prediction of more cases on the fact that in the three new instances the patients have gone about for several days mingling with many people. Cardona has been vending his vegetables until yesterday, when he had to call in a physician; Winston has been rooming at the Oakland House and has mingled with colored folks at West Oakland. He had visited the Receiving Hospital, where he asked for salve with which to treat his face that was badly broken out, and from there he walked up Broadway, brushing against pedestrians on his way to the Health Office. And as for Elizabeth Shephard, she has been employed for some time as a bookkeeper in one of the largest dry goods houses on Broadway.

The Health Department has placed a strict quarantine on the three residences named, and guards, especially employed by the city, are closely watching each of these places to see that no one leaves or enters the houses.

The situation is certainly alarming, and there is no longer any reason for denying that fact.

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LAST DAY OF CONVENTION.

Live Stock Men Want Forest Reserves Limited.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SALT LAKE, Utah, Jan. 18.—The National Live Stock convention this morning passed a resolution that forest reserves be limited to actual timber land. Several other resolutions of minor importance were acted upon.

Considerable time was consumed in calling the membership roll of the association and correcting the same. The regular order of business, the selection of a place for holding the next convention, was then taken up.

Mr. Gavin of New Mexico made a speech in favor of Chicago and F. E. Sanborn set forth the advantages of Omaha.

THEY TALKED TO THE STUDENTS.

At the meeting of the students and faculty of the University of California in Harmon Gymnasium, Berkeley, this morning, John R. Mott, general secretary of the World's Student Christian Federation, spoke on "Dominant Impressions Received on a World Tour Among Students."

Charles Mills Gayley, professor of the English language and literature, spoke on "Student Life at Oxford."

Delaware Senatorship.

DOVER, Del., Jan. 18.—The Delaware Legislature continued its voting for two United States Senators today without result.

GREAT PLANS FOR THE U. C.

President Wheeler Secures Some Noted Scholars.

BERKELEY, Cal., Jan. 18.—By a brief Eastern trip President Wheeler has secured six of the leading scholars of the country as additional members of the faculty for the next summer session of the University of California, from June 27th to August 7th, 1901.

The men who will come to Berkeley from the East are John Dewey, professor of philosophy in the University of Chicago; James E. Russell, professor of the history of education and dean of the teachers' college of Columbia University, New York; Albert S. Cooke, professor of English, Yale; James W. Bright, professor of English physiology, Johns Hopkins; H. Morse Stephens, professor of modern history, Cornell, and Liberty Hyde Bailey, professor of horticulture, Cornell.

No American university has ever before gathered together so many men of first importance, all leaders in their specialties, for its summer school. Instruction will be offered in philosophy, history, English, Greek, Latin, mathematics, physics, chemistry, botany, horticulture, agriculture, etc., and gymnasium instruction will be provided. The farmers will be invited to come to the summer school to receive practical instruction in dairy husbandry, fruit growing, irrigation, stock breeding and other agricultural arts.

The University of California had 433 students in its summer session, a number exceeded only at Harvard and Cornell.

OLE OLSEN IS NOW IN DURANCE VILE.

Ole Olsen was convicted of vagrancy in the Police Court this morning, and will be sentenced tomorrow. His pal, Frank Murray, with whom he had gone about begging, pleaded not guilty and will be tried by a jury January 22th.

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THE VOTE ON THE CANAL IS DELAYED.

Senate Will Not Take Up the Bill for the Present.

Unwise to Agitate the Matter Till England's Position Is Defined.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—The Republican Senators today decided not to set a day, at least for the present, for taking up the Nicaragua canal bill. The cision was reached after an hour and a half spent in caucus and was unanimous.

The caucus was called largely because of Senator Morgan's importunities in behalf of the bill and an effort was made to effect a satisfactory solution of the problem. There was a general exchange of views and speeches were made, but after all had been heard the Senators concluded that so long as Great Britain's attitude toward amendments to the Hay-Pauncefote treaty is undefined it would not be wise or expedient to agitate the question of the construction of the proposed canal.

Senator Allison, chairman of the caucus, was authorized to make this statement to Senator Morgan and other friends of the canal bill and to the public in general. In giving it out he laid stress upon the fact that this conclusion was "for the present."

He also stated that the question of what attention should be given to the ship subsidy bill and to the appropriation bills was not discussed and that "the matter is in the hands of the Senate."

The decision of the caucus as above given was embodied in a resolution presented by Senator Lodge, who stated that the conclusions as thus set forth was the result of the best deliberations of the Committee on Order of Business. He expressed his own firm conviction that at least for the present it would be out of place to press the canal question while the treaty is still a subject of negotiations and England's attitude is not completely defined.

Notwithstanding the formal decision to leave the canal question in abeyance for the time being, several Senators gave notice that in case there should be a motion to take up the canal bill they would not be bound by the resolution adopted, but would vote for a motion to consider.

In this expression of independence, Senator Platt of New York was the leader. He said he considered the proposed canal of prime importance, and would not refrain from voting to take it up whenever a motion to that effect was made. Senators Simon, Foster and Bard followed with similar declarations.

No decision was reached upon other questions, because no formal action was considered necessary. There was, however, considerable discussion of other questions. Among these were the ship subsidy bill, the war revenue reduction bill, the confirmation of Mr. Harlan as Attorney General of Porto Rico, the ratification of the treaty with Spain for the acquisition of some of the Philippine Islands not included in the original Paris treaty, and the appropriation bills.

R. A. MARSHAL'S CHILD KNOCKED DOWN BY A CYCLIST.

The 13-year-old daughter of R. A. Marshall, Deputy Supreme Court Clerk, met with a painful accident this morning. She was riding her wheel on Telegraph avenue near Twenty-sixth street, when a man riding a bicycle ran into her bike and knocked her down. The child sustained a fracture of the arm and two broken fingers. She was removed to her home at 551 Twenty-seventh street. The cyclist asked the child if she was hurt, and then went on his way.

WILL REPORT ON DALTON CASE.

The Grand Jury is preparing to make its report on the Dalton indictments. The investigation and taking of testimony was practically completed yesterday. At the session today the evidence was read over and considered and the advice of Assistant District Attorney elvin was requested on several points.

WILLIAM DAY HAS NARROW ESCAPE IN COURT

The jury in the Wm. Day case failed to agree upon a verdict and was discharged at midnight. It stood ten to two for conviction on the first ballot. Then the vote changed to eleven to one. The one juror who voted for acquittal could not be shaken in his view of the case. Day was accused of assaulting a boy.

Licensed to Marry.

Edward William Wheeler, Lewiston 24
Edith Eleanor Tripp, Lewiston 37
Peter Jorgensen, San Francisco 21
Mary Silvey, San Francisco 15
Alvin Moore, San Francisco 25
Eva Peterson, San Francisco 31
John Augustus Reichelt, Chicago 50
Mattie Torson, Alameda 30
Hans Peter Kroman, Oakland 31
Marie Miller, Oakland 22

Letters of Administration.

Fannie Elsie Scott has been granted letters of administration on the estate of Sarah H. Scott Mitchell, deceased.

Letters of administration have been issued to Annie E. Mesmer on the estate of Lillian Mesmer, deceased.

NEW LAWS FOR THE FILIPINOS.

Rumor That Aguinaldo Narrowly Escaped Capture.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

MANILA, Jan. 18.—The public discussion of the general code of government for municipalities began today. Commissioner Worcester outlined the bill and explained the changes from the general orders of the Military Governor under which many local governments were operating. Commissioner Worcester presented two amendments disqualifying from voting and holding office men who renounce their American allegiance and remain in armed insurrection after February 1st.

The Commissioner elucidated the taxation referring to the benefits of taxing lands and buildings as against the present special taxes on occupations and industries.

One-fourth of one per cent of the proceeds of real estate assessments will be devoted to public schools.

Municipal councils are authorized to license theaters, public conveyances and cock fighting, or to prohibit cock fighting, for the first year, until the tax collections are available.

Half the internal revenue of each municipality will be paid into the municipal treasuries.

Commissioner Worcester did not enlarge on the section confining the exemption of church property to properties exclusively for religious, charitable or educational purposes. This much dircussed feature received the approval of the Administration at Washington previous to the making public of the bill.

The bill centralizes considerable responsibility in the provincial governments for the establishment of which another bill is being prepared.

The public discussion which is taking place in the municipal hall is proceeding by sections, the natives participating.

It is rumored that Aguinaldo visited his mother in Cavite province and narrowly escaped capture in the recent round-up of one of the villages of Cavite.

WANT BACK PAY FOR GOVERNMENT WORK.

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BARRE, Vt., Jan. 18.—Many granite cutters and tool sharpeners are taking action toward pushing their claims for back pay for work done in the service of the United States Government nearly thirty years ago.

The claims arise out of the building of the Boston and New York postoffices, the Government work on Dix, Hurricane and Fox Islands and work in navy yards. The claimants worked ten hours a day instead of eight, and they are now trying to collect pay for the extra two hours a day. The navy yard men got their pay two years ago, and the other claims have been before Congress three times during the past twenty years.

RACES AT THE EMERYVILLE TRACK.

The races at the Emeryville track yesterday resulted as follows:

First race—Seven furlongs: Free Lance (3-2) won, Grand Sachem (3) second, Mike Rice (12) third. The other starters were Game Warden, Wallenstein, Fille d'Or, Senator Matts. Scratched—Litmus, Rio Shannon. Time 1:30.

Second race—Five and a half furlongs: The Light (4-5) won, Ting-a-Ling (40) second, Abbyleix L (200) third. The other starters were Dr. Cove, Gold Lace, Harry Gwynne, Beautiful Bill, Lilla. Scratched—Mainstay, Gold Baron. Time, 1:10.

Third race—Three and a half furlongs: Dorene (9-20) won, Larghetta (20) second, Louwelsea (7) third. The other starters were Prestene, Torila, Parizade, Gartha, Evea G., Carson Beauty, Minerva. Time, :44.

Fourth race—One mile and a sixteenth: Opponent (7-10) won, Sir Rolla (5) second, None Such (100) third. The other starters were Wax, Alicia. Time, :51 1-2.

Fifth race—Six furlongs: Maggie Davis (13-5) won, Rollick (2) second, Bab (3 1-2) third. The other starters were Parmenion, Formero, Edgardo. Time, 1:15.

Sixth race—Six furlongs: Sweet Caporal (3) won, Nullah (5) second, Handicapper (3) third. The other starters were Maud Ferguson, Casdale, Estelada, Pilot, Fidel Youlin, Alturas, Jennie Reid. Scratched—Great Bend, Mary Kinsella. Time, 1:15 1-2.

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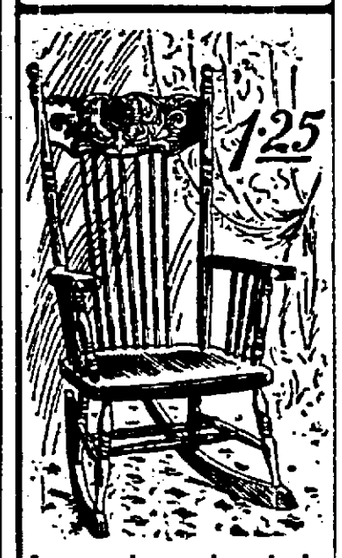

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FRIDAY .....JANUARY 18, 1901.

BUILD BRANCH LINES.

A railway from the town of Anderson, in Shasta county, to Trinity county is projected by J. D. Terry, a lumberman of Sacramento. It would be a feeder to the Southern Pacific Company's main road through the Sacramento valley, and, there are excellent reasons to believe, would pay from the opening day, just as the company's branch to Oroville, built by the corporation itself, proved a remunerative investment.

Those who have traversed the country through which the road would run declare that there are no insuperable difficulties in the way of its construction. From Anderson, by way of Cottonwood Creek for part of the distance and thence to the ridge above Middle Fork is comparatively easy sailing. To Harrison's Gulch from that point and thence over or through Good's Mountain would prove more expensive, but once there a rich though undeveloped country would be opened to settlement and trade. From Wildwood to Weaverville anyone of a dozen cowboys employed on the ranges could show the engineers available passes. This, too, would be a feasible route from the Sacramento valley to Eureka, as more than one reconnaissance survey has declared.

The fact is that the obstacles of a physical character in the way of railroads into the foothills and mountains on the east and west of our great valleys are very much exaggerated. Such roads should be constructed and the work ought to be done by people directly interested.

There has been too much waiting for the Southern Pacific or the Santa Fe to build lines. Claus Spreckels showed the way to do these things several years ago, when he started the San Francisco and San Joaquin line, with the result that an additional transcontinental road reached the bay of San Francisco last year. The big companies have a fair return now on their investments and it would be unjust to them to ask them to enter new and untried fields at their own risk. Let the people of the interested districts construct lines to the main road and show their faith in their own resources.

With branch lines running from the main roads, such as this Anderson-Trinity project, California in less than ten years would more than double its wealth and population.

PUNISHING YOUNG OFFENDERS.

The problem of how to deal with the juvenile offender is one that is at present occupying the attention of the leading moralists and penologists and it appears to be as difficult of solution as ever. Dr. Enoch V. Stoddard, vice-president of the New York Board of Charities, presented a report not long ago on juvenile delinquency and the failures in present reformatory methods, in which he states that "juvenile crime is the outgrowth of unfavorable conditions which may be either individual or social, or both combined, and a careful review of the conditions of the communities of the civilized world forces us to the conclusion that juvenile delinquency is increasing."

Those who have made a study of the causes that lead to the commission of offenses by juveniles are of the opinion that they are mainly due to defective intellect, obtuseness of feeling for others and defective will power. The juveniles are offenders quite as much on account of stupidity as through any formed design to transgress established rules. Those especially displaying an absence of feeling are children who have never enjoyed the inspiration of paternal affection and the developing influences of home life; but have either been placed in hard and unsympathetic conditions or have known a public institution as their only parent. From among these come the most desperate and dangerous criminals. Repressive methods have not served to prevent delinquencies of this sort and consequently have failed in so far as they have not been based upon the idea of removing the cause of crime, instead of repressing it when it appears.

When it is estimated, according to the calculations of an eminent penologist, that the burden of crime entails a cost of over $600,000,000 a year on the people of the United States, it is evident that even from an economic standpoint there is a profit to be made by devising a method or system that will repress the inclinations to evil which, as a rule, begin in the formative period of youth and develop in the man. It is admitted that it is with the juvenile element that the hope of effecting a reformation exists. The old and hardened criminal is usually beyond redemption and therefore the root of the evil must be reached by arriving at some method or system whereby juvenile offenders can be brought under influences antagonistic to wrong-doing.

Naval draughtsmen are not required to submit to civil service examinations, according to late advices from Washington. That department will be more of a drawing card than ever from now on with those looking for an easy job through the medium of their political acquaintances.

A physician claims to have restored an actor to health by the liberal use of salt. This is scarcely complimentary to the Thespian professor, however, for the doctor's methods are those invariably used for curing hams.

While the great powers appear to be anxious to raise the cross in the Orient, they are industriously engaged in trying to give each other the double cross at the same time.

NEW RAILROAD FOR MEXICO.

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—A special to the Chronicle from El Paso, Tex., says:

Governor Miguel Ahumada of Chihuahua, Mex., who is attending the Midwinter Carnival here, has signed a concession for a railroad across his State to E. A. Stillwell of Kansas City, the promoter of the Kansas City, Mexico and Orient Railway.

POINTED PARAGRAPHS.

The next generation is a waiting race.

A probability is something that may possibly happen.

An astronomer reports that his business is looking up.

It is better to have a heart of oak than a wooden head.

Never marry a girl named Ann. An's an indefinite article.

An auctioneer always looks for bidding when conducting a sale.

Apothecaries deal in scruples, but it may be different with lawyers.

Envy and jealousy make women do a lot of hitherto unheard-of things.

Whenever you see a man in a seedy coat entering a saloon no explanation is necessary.

Shoes that are exactly alike make an ill-fitting pair. This is a straight tip for those who are about to marry.

A certain city official who refused to give up his job at the request of the Mayor gave as an excuse that he did not possess the virtue of resignation.—Chicago News.

THE WISE MAN.

There was a wise man in our town
  Who thought he bore a life of charm;
But once he rose up in his sleep,
  Fell down the steps and broke his arm.

The wise man pondered long and deep,
  Then to an underwriter went
And took a gilt-edged policy
  Insuring him from accident.

The months flew by, the wise man kept
  Of swiftly passing time no track,
'Till one somnambulistic night
  He fell again and broke his back.

"I'm insured!" the wise man gasped;
  Then he sank back and spoke no more;
They hunted up his policy—
  It had expired the day before.
—Newton Newkirk in Ohio State Journal.

CAPITALISTS COMING TO CALIFORNIA

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—For the purpose of enabling members of the Commercial Club of Chicago to investigate in person the commercial advantages of the Pacific Coast and the Far West, the presidents of five of the great Western railroads have invited them to become their guests on a magnificent special train composed of private cars belonging to the executives who have extended the invitation.

President Ripley of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railroad took the initiative in the matter and invited the members of the Commercial Club to be his guests on a junket to Los Angeles. The presidents of the Southern Pacific, Union Pacific, Denver and Rio Grande and the Chicago and Northwestern Railroads then joined in an invitation to the members of the club to "swing around the circle" over their lines. They united with Mr. Ripley in proffering the use of their private cars. These cars are to be made up into a solid train. The itinerary includes visits to San Francisco, Portland, Seattle, Wash., and Denver, Col., where arrangements will be made by the local commercial organizations for fitting greeting to the Chicago men.

Secretary J. J. James of the Commercial Club said that the invitation of the railroad presidents had been submitted to the executive committee of the organization, which is composed of W. J. Chalmers, Martin A. Ryerson, H. J. McFarland, John J. Janes, Marshall Field, E. Butler and D. B. Jones.

This committee will ascertain how many members will make the trip, which is set for some time in March.

M'COVERN TO FIGHT IN CALIFORNIA.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—It is stated that articles of agreement for a fight between Kid McCoy and Tom Sharkey will probably be signed today and the forfeit money will be placed in the hands of Al Smith as stakeholder.

February 25th is the date and Jim Kennedy's Twentieth Century Club of San Francisco is the place where they will fight.

The articles were to have been signed by McCoy and Barney Reich last night, but there were a few minor changes necessary in the ones that were offered by Kennedy, and the signing was postponed.

Sharkey is at West Baden, Ind., but will go to California next week. McCoy, accompanied by his wife, and his manager and backer, Martin J. Walsh of Boston, will start for San Francisco next Saturday. The date was originally set for February 25th, but was changed to February 28th.

Manager Jim Kennedy has returned from Pittsburg, where he secured a contract with Terry McGovern for a match before the Twentieth Century Club in San Francisco April 30.

McGovern's opponent will be selected from among the following: Dave Sullivan, Broad, Santry, White, Hamilton, "Tipton Slasher" and Gardner.

BUNCOED BY ASTROLOGERS

BOSTON, Jan. 18.—Evangeline Yale Davey, better known as "Prof. Yale," wife of Thomas A. Davey, who says he is an astrologer, has been arrested by Federal officers on a warrant charging her with sending an obscene circular through the United States mail. According to Professor Towlson, who has charge of the case for the postal authorities, "Professor Yale" has done an enormous business with the young people of the country. The direct complaint came from Dr. D. F. Cecil of Hurley, Tenn., regarding the character of the circulars received in response to an advertisement of "Professor Yale" which he answered. He denounced the printed matter as unfit for the mails.

The inquiry led to surveillance of a nubmer of so-called astrologers, who are doing a horoscope business through the mails. The postoffice inspectors say that the mail responses to advertisements came from every section of the Union, and most of the letters contained money.

THOUGHT OF EXILE COWS FILIPINOS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—A dispatch to the World from Hongkong says:

The adoption by General MacArthur of Consul Wildman's plan to deport the insurgent leaders to Guam has had a marked effect. The activity of the insurgents has been reduced, the Hongkong junta has been breaking up and the people in the Philippines are being freed from the domination of the native army.

GENERAL ALGER SERIOUSLY ILL.

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—A special to the Record from Detroit, Mich., says:

General Alger suffered a relapse and is again confined to his bed, a very sick man. One week ago last Monday he left his office not feeling well, and before the end of the day a cold had set in with marked symptoms of grip. He was forced to take to his bed.

KRUGER NOT COMING TO AMERICA.

BRUSSELS, Jan. 18.—Frickie Eloff, Kruger's grandson, is here from The Hague.

He says Kruger has no intention of going to America at present, although pressed with invitations. He might possibly go later if he considered the interests of the Transvaal demanded it.

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Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Kirkham Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Watt, Dr. and Mrs. Wilcox, Mrs. Mack Webber, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Wright, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Wheeler, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ward, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Whitney, the Misses Whitney, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wadsworth.

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Mrs. H. L. Whitehead of 1075 Fourteenth street has gone to Los Angeles to attend the funeral of her uncle. She will remain in the south for several weeks.

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Edna Logan Bonney, Stockton	25
Mary Glory Perate, Haywards	18
Frank Rose Pasquale, Haywards	27

Jesse Noble's Estate.

A petition for letters of administration on the estate of the late Jesse Noble, who was killed in the West Oakland railroad yards, has been filed by Samuel P. Tate. The estate consists principally of the family residence at 1629 Sixty-second street and a half interest in 160 acres of timber land in Tuolumne county. The heirs are the widow, Teresa E. Noble, Dora F. Tate and George A. Noble. The widow gives her written consent to the appointment of Tate as administrator.

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THE MUSLIN WEAR SALE.

which has been in progress for the past three weeks has been a splendid success. Women know qualities of muslin and embroidery and about what underclothes ought to cost too well to be deceived. They know what they want and will go where they know they can get it. Returning customers and their friends are now keeping business brisk in this department.

Present Prices Rule till February 1st.

In former ads. we have given details of the many good things which are still to be found at greatly reduced prices in the following departments:

Lace Curtains
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Corsets, etc., etc

A few special hints for today:

Skirt Lengths Tennis Flannel Skirt Lengths, good weight, extra wide, in so'id pinks, blues and white, with embroidered edge—special at **20c.**

Australian Wool Pants For ladies; broken lines; sizes 28 to 34 only; white; $1.00 values—special at **50c.**

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Good values in silk-finished, ribbed vests, 3 for **1.00.**

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Many good things in children's hosiery at **12½c** and **15c**—all special prices.

L'aiglon Belts—New This is the very latest; in black satin or velvet; with five long streamers with gilt ends—good values from **98c** up.

with, or for the purpose of preventing the discovery of any crime, or for the purpose of preventing the recovery of any person kidnaped, stolen or carried away. Or any person, other than the father or mother, who shall take, steal or carry away a minor, or who shall hide or secrete from the legal guardian thereof any minor. Any person who shall bring to the State from another State any person kidnaped in any of the ways described shall be deemed guilty of kidnaping, and shall be triable in any county where the person kidnaped is found or in any county where he shall have been proven to be while under restraint.

"The "Young Legislators," an organization composed of the pages of the Senate and Assembly, is in working order for the present session. Officers have been elected as follows: President, Donn J. Shields of Los Angeles; vice president, Forest J. Swears of San Francisco; secretary, Esmond M. Smith of Oakland; treasurer, Sam Wacholder of San Francisco; minute clerk, Francis Springer of Santa Barbara; sergeant-at-arms, Dannie Love of San Francisco. The other members are Monroe Gilman, Willie Lardner, William Saunders, Elwood Feeney, Emmett Rhoads, Dean W. Hasson, Woodburn Lamphrey, Ralph Schluer, Reed Baxter, Eldon Wickham, Edward Roeder, Earle Byrne, W. Lanktree. Officials have, it will be observed, been chosen with due regard to geographical lines. Parliamentary tactics will be practiced by the youngsters.

S. P. MEETING.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—At a special meeting of the stockholders of the Southern Pacific Company today the number of directors was increased from 11 to 12. The additional director was not elected at the meeting, and no date has been set for such action.

M'Kinley's Plans.

According to a letter received by E. W. Marston, president of the Board of Trade, from George B. Cortelyou, secretary to President McKinley, and read at a meeting of the Board today, the nation's Executive has not yet made any plans for a trip to the Pacific Coast.

Nevilles Big Suit.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 18.—Colonel W. A. Nevilles of San Francisco has sued City Marshal B. M. Baker of San Pedro for $10,000 damages. In his complaint Nevilles states that with his wife he peaceably entered Baker's office to pay taxes and was placed under arrest without cause and imprisoned in "a dirty room for an hour."

AT BED TIME

I take a pleasant herb drink, the next morning I feel bright and my complexion is better. My doctor says it acts gently on the stomach, liver and kidneys, and is a pleasant laxative. It is made from herbs, and is prepared as easily as tea. It is called Lane's Medicine. All druggists sell it at 25c and 50 cts. Lane's Family Medicine moves the bowels each day. If you cannot get it, send for a free sample. Address, Orator F. Woodward, Le Roy, N. Y.

sue of a local paper in which it is stated that Justice Larue of East Oakland had sentenced one Ernest Mosca to imprisonment for one day in the County Jail and to pay a fine of $40, all because the Justice imagined his dignity insulted because Mosca failed to appear in court yesterday in answer to a summons. The impression apparently sought to be conveyed is that Justice Larue was actuated by personal spite in the matter.

Justice Larue was seen by a TRIBUNE reporter today and asked for his version of the matter. He disclaimed the motive attributed to him, and said:

"The facts in the case are simply these: Mosca came into my court and asked for a warrant for the arrest of one Cicero, on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon. He claimed that Cicero attacked him and would have shot him had he not been held by Mrs. Mosca. Cicero was arrested and released on bonds. His arraignment was set for 10 A. M. on the 16th, and Mosca, as the complaining witness was served with a summons to appear against him. He failed to appear, and a bench warrant was issued for him.

"Yesterday, when the case came up, Mosca swore that Cicero had no weapon at the time of the alleged assault. The case against Cicero was accordingly dismissed for lack of testimony. I asked Mosca why he had not answered the subpoena served on him to appear in court on the 16th. He said he had been at work, that he was a poor man and could not afford to lose the time. I did not consider his excuse a sufficient one, and in order to make him respect the orders of the court, and not through any personal feeling, I sentenced him to one day's imprisonment and to pay a fine of $40. I think he should have been given the maximum punishment, which is one day's imprisonment and a fine of $100, but I did not wish to be severe on him.

"I want to say that any journal that encourages people to disregard the orders and processes of the courts is either in sympathy with the lawless classes or else its editors are too stupid for the position they hold."

VENUS IS UNHAPPY.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 18.—The Bulletin today says that Marian Nolan, once famous as "California's Venus," has left her husband. She married Don Fernandez Cabrera of Mexico. It is said her married life was unhappy. She lived in Mexico for a time.

A Corporation Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Belden-Cook Installment Home Building Company, a corporation, was held at the company's office yesterday and the following Board of Directors elected for the ensuing term: H. B. Belden, E. P. Cook, Ben F. Woolner, George W. Dornin and E. M. Floud. Upon convening of the new Board the following officers were elected: H. B. Belden, president and manager; E. P. Cook, vice president; E. M. Floud, secretary; Central Bank, treasurer, and Ben F. Woolner, attorney.

Although organized but a year, the company has proved no small factor in the progress and upbuilding of the city, having erected during that period twenty-seven houses. It has met with well merited prosperity, and a dividend of 6 per cent was declared and a handsome amount set aside to the reserve fund.

Murder Charge.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 18.—The jury in the matter of the killing of William Trewella on Monday last reached a verdict at noon, charging Robert E. Glaze with murder.

LONDON ROAD PURCHASED BY AMERICANS.

English Investors are Glad to Stand Aside.

The Aristocracy Dislikes Our Blunt Foreign Policy.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—A dispatch to the Tribune from London says:

The details of the purchase of the Baker street and Waterloo railway by a syndicate of Chicago and Cleveland capitalists headed by ex-Congressman Johnson are drawn mainly from outsiders who have refused to buy the projected line and are not trustworthy. The property has evidently been hawked about and the transactions are not closed. The passage of a second metropolitan transit scheme under the control of American capitalists is regarded with indifference by investors here. The transit problem is so complex and the cost of construction of the various deep level enterprises is so heavy that the assistance of American engineers and capitalists is welcomed.

While the metropolitan and district railways have been driven by competition to substitute electric traction for steam, it is not yet certain that the operation of electric railways at deep levels is profitable or that radical changes in the system of hauling trains may not be requisite. The traction system, both the Central London and Waterloo and City, may be considered tentative, since the strain upon rolling stock and permanent way is excessive, and the expense of repairs from wear and tear unusually heavy. English investors are not yet convinced that electric railways are good paying properties, and are willing to have American capitalists take as large a share of the risks as they like.

Although English public opinion is steadily veering around toward the view taken in America on the Nicaragua canal question, there is no getting away from the fact that Senator Morgan's proposals are not relished in this country. The Post admits the value of the inter-oceanic canal for the commerce of the United States and thinks that the matter might have been arranged long ago, as foreign countries would readily concede to America a predominant voice in the settlement of the question. This paper, however, which caters especially for the aristocratic classes, finds fault with the American system of dealing with international questions.

Recruiting for the Yeomanry required for service in South Africa has started off actively, and 5,000 men will easily be obtained at 5 shillings per diem for any period. This force of good riders and marksmen is precisely what is needed for the fox hunting now going on in the Dutch territories, but complaint is made by military men that a call for volunteers ought to have been made a long time ago and it would have been at least two months before the Yeomanry is recruited, properly horsed and ready to embark for the Cape. Foresight has not been a characteristic trait of the present government in ordering the details of the campaign. Military critics cannot understand why the 20,000 seasoned troops now in India have not been ordered to South Africa to take the places of war-worn and exhausted battalions. An exchange of this kind could be easily effected and would not be expensive. The air is full of criticism that the elections were ordered in good time.

A Minced Thumb.

T. F. Price of 1572 Eighth avenue ran his right thumb into a meat cutter last night and nearly severed the member from his hand. His injury was dressed at the Receiving Hospital by Warden Page.

WHAT SHALL WE EAT

To Keep Healthy and Strong?

A healthy appetite and common sense are excellent guides to follow in matters of diet, and a mixed diet of grains, fruits and meats is undoubtedly the best, in spite of the claims made by vegetarians and food cranks generally.

As compared with grains and vegetables, meat furnishes the most nutriment in a highly concentrated form and is digested and assimilated more quickly than vegetables or grains.

Dr. Julius Remusson on this subject says: Nervous persons, people run down in health and of low vitality should eat plenty of meat. If the digestion is too feeble at first it may be easily strengthened by the regular use of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets after each meal. Two of these excellent tablets taken after dinner will digest several thousand grains of meat, eggs or other animal food in three or four hours, while the malt diastase also contained in Stuart's Tablets cause the perfect digestion of starchy foods, like potatoes, bread, etc., and no matter how weak the stomach may be, no trouble will be experienced if a regular practice is made of using Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets because they supply the pepsin and diastase so necessary to perfect digestion, and any form of indigestion and stomach trouble except cancer of the stomach will be overcome by their daily use.

That large class of people who come under the head of nervous dyspeptics should eat plenty of meat and insure its complete digestion by the systematic use of a safe, harmless digestive medicine like Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, composed of the natural digestive principles, peptones and diastase, which actually perform the work of digestion and give the abused stomach a chance to rest and to furnish the body and brain with the necessary nutriment. Cheap cathartic medicines masquerading under the name of dyspepsia cures are useless for relief or cure of indigestion because they have absolutely no effect upon the actual digestion of food.

Dyspepsia in all its forms is simply a failure of the stomach to digest food and the sensible way to solve the riddle and cure the indigestion is to make daily use at meal time of a safe preparation which is endorsed by the medical profession and known to contain active digestive principles, and all this can truly be said of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

All druggists throughout the United States, Canada and Great Britain sell them at the uniform price of fifty cents for full treatment.

METCALF HAS PREPARED NEW AMENDMENT.

Senate to Be Asked for Aid for the Harbor.

Result of the Delay in Receiving Heuer's Estimates.

In a private letter, Congressman Metcalf sheds a certain amount of light on the mission of the Oakland Harbor improvement project from the Harbor Bill which has just passed the House light which has not been shed by the dispatches which have been published on the subject.

At the time the letter was written, the bill had not passed the House, but Mr. Metcalf found that he was unable to do anything toward getting the Oakland Harbor estimate included in the measure because the Committee on Rivers and Harbors of the House had closed its hearings and had prepared its report before Colonel Heuer's report and estimates of the cost of the work had been sent to Washington. Such being the case, nothing could be done in the House.

Mr. Metcalf consulted on the subject with Senator Perkins and leaders in the House and they advised against the offering of an amendment on the floor of the House. They agreed that when an amendment was offered and defeated, as there was every reason to believe that it would be, the position of the Oakland representatives would be very much weakened.

As the matter stands now, Mr. Metcalf is in a position to send the facts to the Senate Committee saying that he had had no opportunity to present the case of Oakland to the Committee of the House for the reason that there was no report on file and no recommendation. Senator Perkins and Mr. Metcalf have agreed upon the procedure to be followed.

Mr. Metcalf has prepared the amendment and will make a strong effort to have it incorporated in the Harbor bill when it comes before the Senate Committee.

WOMEN OF WOODCRAFT LOSE A "NEIGHBOR."

Oakland Circle, No. 266, Women of Woodcraft, had the misfortune to lose one of its members by death on January 5, when Neighbor Alice D. Hawkins passed away. Her death was very sudden and was a great shock to her relatives and friends. As her remains were cremated the circle did not attend the funeral in a body, but many of the ladies showed their sympathy by placing flowers on the casket. The social side of the meetings will be laid aside for a month, but, as Oakland Circle had planned to join Oakland Camp in installation ceremonies on the evening of January 21, the arrangements cannot be postponed. Great arrangements are being made for that evening, when it is expected that from 300 to 350 Woodmen and Women of Woodcraft will partake of the banquet that is to be provided.

MAYOR WANTS A PEST-HOUSE BUILT.

The necessity of a public pest house or hospital for the quarantine of smallpox cases was noted by Mayor Snow this morning when he said to a TRIBUNE man:

"If there are any more smallpox cases coming from New Orleans Oakland had better establish a pest house. Why, it's awful. No sooner is a case about recovered when a new case is found. It seems to me that hospital people in all their beneficence might build an annex for the care and quarantining of smallpox cases, particularly in these days, when they can take care of such a place as easily as your room or kitchen. I would suggest a small building, say of four rooms, but of course no one wants a pest-house until he has the smallpox. However, something ought to be done, and that immediately."

CO-OPERATIVE UNION STILL IN SESSION.

The State Co-operative Union was again in session at the Y. M. C. A. hall today. Many papers of interest were read.

The following committees were named:

Incorporating Co-operative Union—W. M. Coward, C. W. Tindall, E. M. Bishop.

Co-operative Journal—C. Y. Roop, F. I. Roop, Britton Weigle.

National Co-operation—J. R. Lewis, W. A. Smythe, Charles W. Emory.

Co-operative Legislation—R. B. Myers, S. P. Saunders, L. L. Walruth.

Co-operative Insurance—J. R. Lewis, A. Hallner, S. P. Coulter.

Press—R. M. Osborn, J. C. Buttner, F. A. Bennett.

GOV'T LUNCHES.

Eminent Doctor Orders Grape-Nuts

An old physician in Washington, D. C., comments on the general practice Government employes have of taking with them for luncheon buttered rolls and a variety of non-nutritious articles of food which they bolt down and go on with their work.

Ultimately dyspepsia and gastric troubles ensue, and in all such cases where he has been called in for consultation the orders have been to abandon all sorts of food for the noonday lunch, except Grape-Nuts, which is a ready-cooked, predigested food and a concentrated form of nourishment.

This is eaten with a little fresh milk or cream which can be secured from the vendors who pass through the buildings during the noon hour. The doctor says: "For many reasons I would prefer not to have my name used publicly. Do not object to your furnishing same to any honest inquirer. I have been prescribing Grape-Nuts in numerous cases for about a year and a half and am pleased to say my patients have reason to be thoroughly satisfied with the results. I am myself a strong believer in Grape-Nuts and shall continue to do so long as the preparation gives the results I have obtained thus far." The doctor's name can be had of the Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Battle Creek, Mich.

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CANAL TREATY IS NOW BEING CONSIDERED.

British Cabinet Is in Special Council Today.

Belief That England Will Give Way After Some Dodging.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—A dispatch to the Journal and Advertiser from London says:

A special Cabinet council has been called for Friday of this week to consider the disastrous condition of affairs in the South African war and also to discuss the Nicaragua canal matter. Mr. Choate has notified Washington that he expects a decision and speculation is rife as to what will occur. It is almost the unanimous opinion that Great Britain is bound to give way to the American demands, but not without some diplomatic dodging in order to conceal a too apparent surrender. No formal announcement is expected immediately. Cabinet councils are held in great secrecy and none but Ministers are present. All are sworn to secrecy.

Embassador Choate is working with the same secrecy. Even Henry White, first secretary of the Embassy, is excluded from the Embassador's confidence in the smallest details.

Lansdowne is reported to be willing to approve the amendments and sign the treaty. Objections, if any, will come from Chamberlain. Ex-Senator Edmunds' article caused deep interest in official circles. The New York correspondents of London papers are endeavoring to cultivate a belief that the Senate' saction was mere jingo trash, unindorsed by any leading statesmen or a majority of the people. Edmunds has upset that fallacy.

In fact, the patronizing air assumed by England toward the United States in the days of the Spanish war is rapidly changing front. Roseberry's recent speech sounding a warning that the United States is absorbing British trade has cast a chill over commercial circles.

TARIFF LEAGUE ELECTS OFFICERS.

Oakland Camp No. 3, Army and Navy Republican League, Department of California, will hold its annual election of officers at Becker's Hall tomorrow evening. The present officers are: Colonel, John C. Little; lieutenant-colonel, M. D. Hyde; major, Dr. E. J. Leonard; adjutant, J. A. Colquhoun; quartermaster, G. A. Blank. There is usually quite a contest over this election, and it is expected that there will be a large attendance of the members. It is said that there are several candidates for the colonelcy. The Camp expects to take as active an interest in the city campaign as it usually does.

SAD DEMISE OF CHARLES GAYETTY.

Charles F. Gayetty, aged 19 years, died last night of peritonitis at his home, 1261 Webster street. His death was particularly sad, in view of the fact that several hours later a child was born to his wife. Mr. Gayetty was a native of California.

Wants to Administer.

A petition for letters of administration on the estate of Henry B. Ferguson, deceased, has been filed by Philo Mills. Ferguson died at Paulding, Ohio, June 21, 1900. The petition states that the estate in this county consists of an uncertain interest in real property in the San Pablo Avenue Villa Tract.

Portuguese Social Society.

Articles of incorporation have been filed of the "Sociedade Portugueza Rainha Santa Izabel." There is no capital stock, the society being of a purely social and benevolent nature. The incorporators are Maria S. Costa, Maria Marcella, Mrs. Hentigueta Silva and Marianna Mendonca.

Charged With Larceny.

James Williamson was arrested yesterday afternoon at Emeryville on a charge of petty larceny. He was taken to the County Jail. The warrant was issued on a complaint sworn to by Marshal Lane of the race track town.

DOINGS OF THE ENDEAVORERS.

Edited By the Alameda County Christian Endeavor Union.

The regular monthly executive meeting of the Alameda County C. E. Union will be held Monday evening, January 21st, at the Y. M. C. A. building. This is the last executive meeting before the election of officers, and each officer, superintendent and chairman of committees should have a written report of all work done during the past year, to enable the president to make a complete report of at the convention next month.

The semi-annual election of the Alameda Young People's City Union was held Tuesday evening, January 8th, at the First Christian Church. The following officers were elected for the ensuing term: President, Robert Priest; vice-president, J. G. White; secretary and treasurer, Bessie B. Hierlihy.

The regular quarterly C. E. convention to be held next month promises to be of unusual interest and profit. The committee in charge is bending every energy to make it a success in every way. The program in full will be printed in this column later, and all Endeavorers should make it a point to be there. A successful convention meets a need not met in any other way, and C. E. workers cannot afford to miss the opportunity offered. Those who are not Endeavorers but are interested in our work are cordially invited to attend. Details will be printed later.

DISTRICT LODGE MEETING OF GOOD TEMPLARS.

The District Lodge, I. O. G. T., will meet in Pythian Castle, Twelfth and Franklin streets, next Monday at 10 o'clock a. m. There will be an afternoon session. It was expected to have an evening session, but Oakland Lodge, which meets at that time, has a long string of candidates to initiate that evening and could not well give way for the district lodge. It is urged that all delegates be on hand at 10 a. m., so that the business can be completed promptly during the day session.

There is renewed evidences of increased interest in temperance work in this district and Northern California.

"WHERE SLUGGISH TIDES CREEP IN."

Yelland's masterpiece, "Where Sluggish Tides Creep In," has been selected by the Library Trustees to be retained to grace a wall in the new Library building. Of the $250 to be paid to Mrs. Yelland for this picture, but $43 remains to be raised. Mrs. F. M. Smith, wife of the "Borax King," sending in a check for $25 yesterday. Librarian Greene has gracefully acknowledged receipt.

BOLD BURGLARY IN BROAD DAYLIGHT.

Some time during yesterday afternoon a burglar effected an entrance to the residence of W. H. Wallard, 1207 Poplar street, by forcing open a side window, and carried off some jewelry and a small amount of money, to the value of about $25.

MASCAGNI'S NEW OPERA A SUCCESS.

Sung Simultaneously In Six Italian Cities.

Tremendous Furore in Rome and the Author Given an Ovation.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—A dispatch to the Journal and Advertiser from Rome says:

Mascagni's "Le Maschere" was produced last (Thursday) night at the Teatro Costandi in Rome and simultaneously in Venice, Turin, Genoa, Verona and Milan. It was to have been produced in Naples also, but the performance was postponed until Saturday.

The performance in Rome was an enormous success, and there was a great demonstration in the theater in honor of Mascagni. Musically the opera is considered a true continuance of the ancient Italian music. The prologue, symphony, duet and finale serenade in the first act, three choruses, the finale and other numbers were enthusiastically encored. Mascagni said in an interview:

"Tell my American friends I am very well satisfied. The results have exceeded my hopes. I had wished to revive the melodrama of Cimarosa and Rossini, and this production demonstrates that the resurrection of the lyrical theater is possible only by going back to the sources of Italian music. It proves also that the Italian public tolerated modern exaggerations because they could find nothing better."

A Life and Death Fight.

Mr. W. A. Hines of Manchester, Ia., writing of his almost miraculous escape from death, says: "Exposure after measles induced serious lung trouble, which ended in Consumption. I had frequent hemorrhages and coughed night and day. All my doctors said I must soon die. Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which completely cured me. I would not be without it even if it cost $5.00 a bottle. Hundreds have used it on my recommendation and all say it never fails to cure Throat, Chest and Lung troubles." Regular size 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free at Osgood Bros.' Drug Store, cor. Seventh and Broadway.

Executors' Account.

George W. Disher, F. W. Lange Jr. and Adelaide Tyack have filed their final account as executors of the estate of Annie E. Lange, deceased. They have received cash to the amount of $2,667.90 and expended $2,240.75, leaving a balance on hand of $427.15.

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Standard Oil Magnate's Benefaction to Syracuse.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Jan. 18.—Announcement is made that "a friend" has given $100,000 to the endowment fund of Syracuse University, conditional only upon a like amount being raised among other friends of the institution. The gift is made anonymously, and Chancellor James R. Day refuses to divulge the giver's name, but it is learned from reliable sources that it is John D. Archibald of New York, a vice-president of the Standard Oil Company.

Mr. Archbald is the president of the Board of Trustees of Syracuse University and a close friend of Chancellor Day. This gift follows a long series of annual gifts of from $10,000 to $50,000 made by the same man in a similar anonymous manner.

The sum realized from these benefactions will be applied to wipe out the floating debt on the university property and to establish an endowment fund. Chancellor Day will start immediately to raise the amount equal to this anonymous donation. A part of the amount, he said, is already in sight and the whole will probably be raised within a year.

NIXON SHIP YARDS TIED UP BY STRIKE.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—A strike in the Nixon shipyards at Elizabeth, N. J., threatens to tie up the yard and greatly delay the Government work now in progress on ships for the navy, besides a number of private contracts, including five submarine boats.

The strike took place because nine alleged non-union carpenters were employed. A delegation of four men representing the Carpenters, Painters, Joiners, and Calkers, waited on Mr. Nixon and asked if he would not discharge the men. He refused to treat with the men and instead of discharging the non-union men, discharged the delegates.

This action greatly incensed the men and they went on strike.

YALE'S BONES TO BE BURIED AT COLLEGE.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 18.—Yale graduates propose that the bones of Elihu Yale, which are interred in Wales, be removed to this country for interment on the Yale campus. The suggestion is made by Percy L. Lang, Yale '85, of Waverly, N. Y.

The suggestion of Mr. Lang is favored by many graduates. The remains of the founder of Yale are interred in the church yard at Mexhon, Wales. Secretary Anson Phelps Stokes of the Yale faculty said:

"It would be a fitting thing to do, but I should consider it quite unlikely."

FERMENT IN RUSSIA.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 18.—One hundred and fifty students recently arrested at Kieffe for engaging in political agitation have been ordered expatriated to Port Arthur, where they will do military service. The same fate awaits scores of students arrested at the capital on a similar charge. The ferment continues among students throughout the country. Disturbances are anticipated.

EDWARD MURPHY IS FOUND NOT GUILTY.

In the Police Court this morning Ed Murphy was found not guilty of battering John Lynch, father of the Lynch who is held to answer on a charge of assaulting Murphy with a deadly weapon. William Newsom and Tim Sugrue testified that Lynch, during a wordy war, approached Murphy with a bungstarter at the time of the alleged battery.

Missionary Alliance.

The Rev. A. B. Simpson of New York City and State Superintendent Stevens of Los Angeles, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Meininger of Chicago are now conducting a convention at the First Baptist Church, corner of Fourteenth street and Brush. The convention in this city closes Saturday. There will be Sunday services at the Brooklyn Presbyterian Church, East Oakland, under the auspices of the Christian and Missionary Alliance.

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A Postal Inspector Cleverly Traps a Wary Crook.

Associated Press Dispatches by
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PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 18.—United States Postal Inspectors have arrested at Allentown, Pa., G. Barnett, alias Evans, whose address is not known, charged with using the mails in a scheme to defraud and of counterfeiting, and who is believed by the Government officers to be a member of a supposed gang of counterfeiters and 'green goods' men, whose headquarters are in New York City and from whom scores of circulars have been sent throughout the country inviting farmers and others to come into the scheme. He was brought to this city and held in $5,000 by United States Commissioner Craig for a further hearing next Friday.

The only witness examined at the Commissioner's hearing was Postoffice Inspector M. C. Duryea, who said that some time previous to January 9th a letter was mailed to Lawrence Wheeler of Hazelton, Ind., a postoffice clerk, inviting him to buy $3,000 worth of "green goods" by paying down $1,000. The letter was unsigned, but contained the direction, 'If you care to engage in this business send a telegram, of which the following is a copy: 'E Maynard, Allentown, Pa.: Send Neal electric belt No. 122.'"

Wheeler immediately reported the matter to the postal inspectors, and a trap was laid to catch the sender of the letter. Wheeler sent the telegram and soon received another letter from New York which asked him to go to Allentown to receive the goods from a man whom he should know by the pass word 'Dayton.' The letter was signed in a stamp "Robert H. Evans" and enclosed a new $1 bill, presumably as a sample of the notes furnished by the concern. The bill, however, was genuine. Inspector Duryea went to Allentown and represented himself as Wheeler and soon had Barnett in custody.

Inspector W. W. Dixon, in charge of the Philadelphia inspection, said the extreme caution maintained by the counterfeiters and the fact that most of the correspondence was carried on by telegraph instead of by mail, made it impossible to locate the headquarters of the syndicate in New York.

SMITH BROTHERS NOT AGENTS FOR NEW HISTORY.

Editor TRIBUNE, Oakland—Kindly give notice in your paper that we have nothing further to do with the agency of "The World's History and Its Makers," which is now being offered for sale to the Oakland public. This offer is made under the representation of an offer of gift of ten unbound volumes, with the urgent request that these copies be bound by the publishers of this work at, we believe, $1.30 for cloth and 1.60 for half-leather binding. The price charged for binding we consider full value for the book itself, as the paper illustrations and general manner of binding could be greatly improved upon and yet make money at the price they charge for binding alone.

We were induced to take hold of the agency under certain conditions and representations which we are sorry to say have not proved satisfactory. We regret exceedingly this first necessity in eighteen years of business to offer apology to your reading public for the sale of goods, the quality of which does not come anywhere near our standard for the price asked. We wish to deny emphatically and positively that the solicitors or agents have any connection with our store in the matter of inducing subscriptions to this work. Our only connection with the firm was from the point of receiving the unbound copies, sending them to bindery and returning them finished to the customer, after the "Premium" copies had been distributed. This arrangement has never been carried out, as we have yet to see one of these copies.

If you will kindly give the above items space in your paper you will greatly oblige, Yours very truly,

"SMITH BROS."

BULLET WHIZZED NEAR HER HEAD.

While Mrs. Luneberg was sitting by her parlor window at 62 "A" street yesterday afternoon a bullet crashed through the pane and lodged in the woodwork at the rear of the room. The matter was promptly reported to the police, who believe the shot was fired by some boy while hunting on the marsh a short distance from the house.

SAMMY IS GUILTY OF SHOOTING "CRAPS."

Sammy Hawkins, a colored lad aged 16, arrested yesterday for "shooting craps," was convicted this morning in the Police Court, and sentence will be pronounced February 15th. In the meantime he is out on his own recognizance.

Death Sentence Commuted.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

OTTAWA, Ont., Jan. 18.—An order in council has been passed commuting the death sentence passed on James Slorah of Dawson, Yukon, to imprisonment for life. Slorah, who was a bartender, shot and killed his wife, Pearl Mitchell. Slorah was sentenced to be hanged on March 1st.

She Is Not Guilty.

The charge of disturbing the peace against Mrs. Mary Hewitt, who occupies the Berkeley dwelling of George W. Hull, the Arizona copper king, was tried yesterday in Judge Quinn's court and resulted in the defendant's acquittal. The complaint was sworn to by the former Mrs. Hull, but the evidence showed that the two women had never exchanged words.

Death of Mrs. Daingerfield.

Amelia Dangerfield, a native of Philadelphia, aged 33 years, died last night at her home, 1928 Poplar street. Her death was due to tuberculosis. The funeral will take place Sunday.

INVENTORY SALE

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POLITICIANS ARE AT WORK IN THE ENCINAL.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 18.—A new local party is to be formed to replace the old Harmonie Hall Club, which for years has played an important part in politics here. The new organization will endeavor to harmonize conflicting interests and will enter the fight in the coming municipal campaign. A number of new candidates for city offices have appeared. Captain H. A. Thompson, who has been a prominent member of the Harmonie Hall Club, will run for City Trustee, and J. D. Jamison, a former guard at San Quentin, is spiring to be a candidate for Chief of Police to run against the incumbent, John Conrad. W. A. Gunn will also be a candidate for the position. C. L. Robinson is to be in the running for the office of school director and H. L. Zimmerman is mentioned for the same office. City Attorney E. K. Taylor will retire and a warm fight for the office will take place between A. F. St. Sure, who is now City Recorder, and Captain M. W. Simpson.

M. Stuart Taylor is making a fight for the office of City Recorder and R. B. Tappan is also a candidate. George Sturtevant, formerly postmaster, and now a deputy City Clerk, as is also James Gillogly. City Treasurer Wheeler will run again and so far has no opponent.

SNATCHED PURSE AND MADE ESCAPE.

Miss May Barnett, a bookkeeper in the employ of G. Mosbacher, while on her way to her home, 1330 Myrtle street, last evening, was followed for several blocks by a well-dressed young man, who finally overtook her at her front gate and quick as a flash snatched her purse, containing $1.35.

The footpad then took to his heels, while Miss Barnett rushed into her home and fell exhausted to the floor.

One of her brothers immediately notified Policeman Greenwald, who telephoned to Captain Peterson. Several officers were detailed, and late last night Policeman Garrity arrested on suspicion a young man named Ross Cluff, aged 24, who claims his home is in San Francisco.

When searched at the City Prison, where he was registered on the "small book," nothing was found connecting him with the crime.

BROKE WHEEL LAW AND THEN WENT TO JAIL.

The police have once more directed their howitzers against bicycle riders who, in using the sidewalk as a speed path, fail to turn off in passing pedestrians. The city ordinance provides that while cyclers may use the sidewalks after 1 o'clock in the morning until sunset, they must either dismount or turn off the walk when they approach persons on foot.

Officers Turner and Henderson were detailed to conduct the opening raid, as it were, and took their position at Eighth and Market streets at 7 o'clock this morning. Ten minutes later the first unsuspecting cycler, P. Hangley, a railroad man, who failed to dismount or leave the sidewalk, was arrested.

In the next hour and a half the following were likewise apprehended: M. M. Rodigkeit, barber; E. Anderson, apprentice; David Craig, stairbuilder; Fred Savage, woodworker; George Schubert, gardener; J. Jones, clerk; J. H. Sears, clerk; W. A. Bremmer, clerk; John Simons, locksmith, and W. F. Kroll, real estate agent.

Those arrested were released promptly on furnishing $5 cash bail. Their cases will be heard in the Police Court tomorrow morning.

WIFE CLAIMS SHE WAS FORCED TO MARRY.

Annie E. Simmons has been granted an annulment of her marriage with Warren J. Simmons by Judge Hebbard of San Francisco.

She produced evidence to corroborate her story that Simmons had forced her to marry him under threats of killing her if she refused and that immediately after the ceremony he deserted her and went to Manila. The couple were residents of San Francisco, but were married in Oakland October 26, 1896.

Warning to Bicyclists.

The dozen or more bicyclists arrested yesterday and this morning for violating the city ordinance which requires them to turn off the sidewalk whenever approaching pedestrians, were each sentenced to pay a fine of $2. They all pleaded guilty.

Old People's Home.

The directors of the Old People's Home will hold their annual meeting in Bartlett Hall, corner of Pine and Seventh streets, January 21. New officers will be elected.

CHAS. ERICKSON WILL CONTEST UNCLE'S WILL.

Charles Erickson a trusted employe of the Oakland Gas, Light, Heat and Power Company, and whose home is at 912 Thirty-fifth street, declares that Leros Erickson, who died recently in San Francisco, leaving $10,000 to a strange woman, is his uncle, and he will institute a contest over the will.

Young Erickson has conferred with Public Administrator Boland of San Francisco, and as a result has retained an attorney and has written to his father in Sweden requesting a power of attorney so that the heirs in Sweden might be represented when the will comes up for probate.

"Leros Erickson, who died New Year's Eve, was my uncle. I am satisfied he was," said Charles Erickson. "He left home fifty years ago. That was before I was born, but my father told me to see if I could find him in this country. I have always been on a lookout for him. I have taken steps now to contest his alleged will, for I do not believe it to be genuine. I am sure there is something wrong about the will written by the woman named Armstrong to whom $10,000 is bequeathed."

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CHAPMAN & CLIFT, Attorneys-at-Law, 906 Broadway, Oakland; telephone 836.

FREDERICK E. WHITNEY, Attorney-at-Law, removed to 921 Broadway, rooms 17 and 18; phone red 2060.

B. H. GRIFFINS, Attorney-at-Law, 921 Broadway, Oakland.

C. H. TEBBS, Attorney-at-Law, 1063½ Broadway, rooms 26-27.

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JOHNSON & SHAW, Law Office, 902 Broadway, rooms 49, 50 and 51.

MELVIN C. CHAPMAN, Attorney-at-Law, has removed to 905 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

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$3,500—One of the pretty colonial homes near Linda Vista; 7 rooms; mortgaged; must sell.

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Only $100 down, balance only $13 per month, including interest, will buy a new, neat, modern, up-to-date cottage of four nice rooms, bathroom, pantry with sink in pantry, laundry tub, patent toilet; all fenced in; only occupied three months; four minutes to local train; see photo at our off . JAS. S. NAISMITH, 452 Ninth

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LOST—Pair of skates. Reward upon return to H. W. Helm, 513 Fourteenth street. r

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LOST—On Washington st., between 7th and 8th, a lady's gold thimble. Suitable reward upon return to this office.

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TWO DEATHS ARE REPORTED FROM SAN LEANDRO.

SAN LEANDRO, Jan. 18.—Orlando Frederighi, San Leandro's well known blacksmith, died yesterday at 11 o'clock. Frederighi, who is but 24 years old, was taken down about two weeks ago with typhoid pneumonia. The deceased leaves a brother and sister. The date of the funeral has not yet been announced.

Mrs. Luzia Joaquinia Pereira, a long sufferer from paralysis, died suddenly at her home yesterday at 11 o'clock. The deceased was 65 years of age. She leaves two brothers, four nephews and two nieces. The date of the funeral has not yet been fixed.

The San Leandro Fire Department will give its second annual ball at the U. P. E. C. Hall on Thursday evening, February 21st. Barney's Orchestra has been engaged for the occasion. The committees in charge are as follows: Floor manager, Budd Eber; assistant floor manager, Harry Smith; reception, O. Best, Harry Cary, W.C. Bettencourt, Manuel Enos, William Gannon.

Harry Knox left for Honolulu today.

FRUITVALE

FRUITVALE, Jan. 18.—James Allen Abbey is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Schloat.

Miss Amy Collier is slowly improving.

A. Alexandra will leave shortly for Oakdale, where he will spend a few months with his uncle, J. R. Jewett.

M. Corona and Jesus Czarnias of San Lorenzo were in town yesterday.

ELMHURST.

ELMHURST, Jan. 18.—All the cars of the Oakland, San Leandro and Haywards Electric Company are receiving a fresh coat of paint. Two of the electric carriages are being entirely rebuilt. They are to be square front, double truck with hinged sides. They will have 250 horse power each. The cars will be the longest on the coast—thirty-six feet.

Ed Johnson is having a large wooden awning placed in front of his shop.

J. Ganzaro is quite ill. He has trouble with his lungs.

A number of men were putting up the fences that were blown down by the last wind storm in and about Fitchburg.

SAN LORENZO.

SAN LORENZO, Jan. 18.—Miss Annie Tychson of St. Helena visited relatives here during the past week.

Miss Lulu Harris of Oakland is visiting her sister, Mrs. B. Burns.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Shiman have returned from their wedding tour.

Mrs. G. Schofield of San Francisco visited relatives in town on Wednesday.

H. W. Meek has returned from San Jose, where he has been attending the meetings of the Dried Fruit Association.

Miss Alice Imbrie of San Francisco visited at the home of H. R. Quigley for a few days.

Branin Bros. have purchased a lot from the Meek estate and will immediately commence the erection of a fine residence.

W. H. CROCKER MAKES DONATION TO U. C.

BERKELEY, Jan. 18.—W. H. Crocker of San Francisco has offered to defray the expenses of a solar eclipse expedition to be sent by the University of California to Sumatra. W. W. Campbell, director of the Lick Observatory, is now forming plans for the trip.

Mr. Campbell himself will not go on the expedition, but an astronomer and one assistant from the observatory will be sent. They will leave here about February 17th, and be gone until July. Their apparatus, which will be sent from Mount Hamilton, will be set up near Padang, on the west coast of Sumatra.

The opportunity for important observations will be great, as the sun will be obscured six minutes and thirty seconds—four times as long as the recent Georgia eclipse. The United States Government has given $10,000 for a like expedition to Sumatra, from the Naval Observatory.

The Wilmerding School.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, Jan. 18.—At the next meeting of the Wilmerding School Committee of the Regents of the University the names of a number of men, some in California, some in the East, will be considered in connection with the vacancy existing since the death of Director Schwarz of the Wilmerding School. While in the East, President Wheeler investigated conditions in a number of important manual training and industrial schools, with a view to utilizing the facts in the Wilmerding School. The problem of the vacant directorship is recognized as a very weighty one.

Something to Remember.

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NOTARIES PUBLIC

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HAYWARDS TRUSTEES HOLD REGULAR MEETING.

HAYWARDS, Jan. 18.—At last the dark-eyed beauty Miss Rosie de Mello and Manuel Peters have been united in marriage. Wednesday at 5 o'clock, in the Haywards Catholic Church, Peters led his young bride to the altar, where the Rev. Father Lally performed the ceremony. Mrs. F. Nevis was the matron of honor and F. Nevis was best man. In the evening the young people of the town serenaded the happy couple at their new home on D street. Peters, who was not slow to recognize the boys, invited them in to partake of the banquet.

The Town Board of Trustees held its regular meeting Wednesday evening. All the members were present except M. C. Peterson and N. Brunner.

After the meeting was called to order and the minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. Trustee Croby reported that the slats in the tower of the fire house had been removed. Dr. Powell next stated that no action had, as yet, been taken regarding the licensing of cigars in the restaurants. Superintendent of Streets J. Ramage reported that he had notified the Electric Light Company to put in proper shape the light on Castro street near Pierceville.

President H. Hunt of Hunt's cannery then asked permission to lay a water main to the cannery. The matter was laid over till the next meeting in order that the water company may be heard from. The meeting then adjourned.

The Oakland, San Leandro and Haywards Electric Railway Company have a force of men at work pulling up the tracks from A to B streets on Fourth to Castro and Main. This will only leave the track on B street from Castro west to the Southern Pacific station.

The advertised letter list is as follows: Francisco Cabral Pereira, Francisco Silveira Caldeira, J. Kuzekamo, Kee Sum, Joao Silveira Rodrigo, Mrs. Maria da Rozario, Manuel Furtado de Sousa, Manuel Ignacio da Silveira.

ORIENTAL STUDENTS WILL HOLD A MEETING.

BERKELEY, Jan. 18.—The Oriental Union, composed of the Chinese and Japanese students of the University, has arranged for a series of meetings during the current term. They will be held in room 1 of the Mechanics building at 7:30 P. M., as follows:

January 19—Paper, "The Ascent of Man—A Vision of the Twentieth Century," Y. K. Yabe.

February 16—Debate, "Resolved, That the great powers would be justified in partitioning China"; affirmative, S. Fudita; negative, S. M. Tamura.

March 2—Address, "Japanese Ideas of Chivalry," Professor G. M. Stratton.

March 16—Social meeting and reception.

March 30—Debate, "Resolved, That the immigration of Mongolian laborers should be prohibited by the United States"; affirmative, M. Nakanouchi; negative, T. Murakami.

April 13—Papare, "Occidental vs. Japanese Views of Japan and the Japanese," Yoshisaburo Kuno.

April 27—Address, subject to be announced, Mr. Ho Yow, Chinese Consul-General.

PRESIDENT WHEELER WANTS BOOK ON CLIMATOLOGY.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, Jan. 18.—While President Wheeler was in Washington he visited the United States Weather Bureau and consulted Professor Willis J. Moore and James Wilson, Secretary of Agriculture, on the subject of a book on the climatology of California, a work very much needed at the present time by a variety of interests.

Professor Hilgard has earnestly recommended such a plan, his own writings on the subject being long since out of print. The data for an accurate climatology of the State are to a large extent available in the accumulated weather reports for various parts of the State, but a work is needed which shall bring the material together and state it in terms of human life, need, and interest. Both Secretary Wilson and Professor Moore readily recognized the importance of the plan and promised to see it carried out at an early day.

The preparation of the work will probably be completed after conference between Professor Hilgard and Alexander G. McAdie, forecast official in San Francisco and Honorary Lecturer in Meteorology in the University, who is one of the most accomplished meteorologists in the United States, and who has already for some time been at work on the accumulation of material suitable for such a volume.

Collette Will Filed.

The will of John S. Collette, who died last June, was filed for probate yesterday by the widow, Mary Collette. The estate is worth about $1,000, and is bequeathed to Mrs. Collette, with the except on of a few books, which are willed to decedent's sister, Lillie Clawson.

OFFICIAL RECORDS.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 17, 1900.

DEEDS.

Jan 16, 01—Union Savings Bank to C B Tackle, E Okd, NE E-22d st 302-6 NW 21st av NW 50 x NE 140 Lots 47 and 48 on Map of Resub of blk 73, Northern Addn to Bklyn, U S I R S, $—; $10.

Jan 17, 01—C B Tackle (single) to Antone F Abreu, E Okd, NE E-22d st 302-6 NW 21st av NW 25 x NE 140 Lot 47 blk 73, on Map of Resub blk 73, Same, 50 cts; $10.

Jan 10, 01—A L Sobey to O G May, Bkly, NE Derby st and Manila av N 50 x E 100.48 ptn Lot 13, blk F, Hillegass tract, Map 3, $1; $10.

Jan 16, 01—John C and Charity L Rogers to H H Shaw, Bkly, E Tremont st 100 S Woolsey st S 40 x E 100 Lot 22 Berkeley Park, 50 cts; $10.

Jan 12, 01—John and Ellen Axtill to D Swanson, Bklyn Tp, S Bay View av 100 E Walnut st E 50 x S 141 Lot 15 blk 15 blk 11, Warner tract, $—; $10.

Jan 10, 01—Margaret Moore to Mary F Davis, Bklyn Tp, Lots 24, 25 and 26 blk O, Amended Map Moss tract, 50 cents; $200.

Dec 28, 00—W Stanley Pardi to Nellie Hauber wf Charles A, Wash Tp, S Smith st from which the NE cor of the Alvarado School Lot bears SW 200 distant th NE 50 SE 100 NE 50 SE 50 SW 100 NW 150 to beg, Alvarado, $1 50; $10.

Jan 11, 01—Nellie and Chas A Hauber to Daniel Jackson, Wash Tp, Same, $1,550; $1,450.

Jan 17, 01—Virginia W Allen (widow) to Virginia Whiting, Okd, E Valdez st, 113 S Elm st S 50 x E 75 ptn Lot 7 blk 12, Pacific Hd, gift.

June 26, 99—Mathilde Schou to A H Schou, Okd, E Adeline st 50 N 32d st N 57-6 E 127 S 7-6 W 18 S 100 W 20 N 50 W 89 to beg, gift.

Jan 7, 01—Francis Redington to Margaret T Redington, E Okd, NW Capi-

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THE MUSLIN WEAR SALE.

which has been in progress for the past three weeks has been a splendid success. Women know qualities of muslin and embroidery and about what underclothes ought to cost too well to be deceived. They know what they want and will go where they know they can get it. Returning customers and their friends are now keeping business brisk in this department.

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In former ads. we have given details of the many good things which are still to be found at greatly reduced prices in the following departments:

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Dress Linings	Colored Petticoats
Ch'ld'n's Walking Hats	Black Petticoats
	Corsets, etc., etc

A few special hints for today:

Skirt Lengths Tennis Flannel Skirt Lengths, good weight, extra wide, in solid pinks, blues and white, with embroidered edge—special at **20c.**

Australian Wool Pants For ladies; broken lines; sizes 28 to 34 only; white; $1.00 values—special at **50c.**

Merino Vests For ladies; gray; ribbed; good 50c values—special, 3 for **1.00.**

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LONDON ROAD PURCHASED BY AMERICANS.

English Investors are Glad to Stand Aside.

The Aristocracy Dislikes Our Blunt Foreign Policy.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Jan. 16—A dispatch to the Tribune from London says:

The details of the purchase of the Baker street and Waterloo railway by a syndicate of Chicago and Cleveland capitalists headed by ex-Congressman Johnson are drawn mainly from outsiders who have refused to buy the projected line and are not trustworthy. The property has evidently been hawked about and the transactions are not closed. The passage of a second metropolitan transit scheme under the control of American capitalists is regarded with indifference by investors here. The transit problem is so complex and the cost of construction of the various deep level enterprises is so heavy that the assistance of American engineers and capitalists is welcomed.

While the metropolitan and district railways have been driven by competition to substitute electric traction for steam, it is not yet certain that the operation of electric railways at deep levels is profitable or that radical changes in the system of hauling trains may not be requisite. The traction system, both the Central London and Waterloo and City, may be considered tentative, since the strain upon rolling stock and permanent way is excessive, and the expense of repairs from wear and tear unusually heavy. English investors are not yet convinced that electric railways are good paying properties, and are willing to have American capitalists take as large a share of the risks as they like.

Although English public opinion is steadily veering around toward the view taken in America on the Nicaragua canal question, there is no getting away from the fact that Senator Morgan's proposals are not relished in this country. The Post admits the value of the inter-oceanic canal for the commerce of the United States and thinks that the matter might have been arranged long ago, as foreign countries would readily concede to America a predominant voice in the settlement of the question. This paper, however, which caters especially for the aristocratic classes, finds fault with the American system of dealing with international questions.

Recruiting for the Yeomanry required for service in South Africa has started off actively, and 5,000 men will easily be obtained at 5 shillings per diem for any period. This force of good riders and marksmen is precisely what is needed for the fox hunting now going on in the Dutch territories, but complaint is made by military men that a call for volunteers ought to have been made a long time ago and it would have been at least two months before the Yeomanry is recruited, properly horsed and ready to embark for the Cape. Foresight has not been a characteristic trait of the present government in ordering the details of the campaign. Military critics cannot understand why the 20,000 seasoned troops now in India have not been ordered to South Africa to take the places of war-worn and exhausted battalions. An exchange of this kind could be easily effected and would not be expensive. The air is full of criticism that the elections were ordered in good time.

A Minced Thumb.

T. F. Price of 1572 Eighth avenue ran his right thumb into a meat cutter last night and nearly severed the member from his hand. His injury was dressed at the Receiving Hospital by Warden Page.

WHAT SHALL WE EAT

To Keep Healthy and Strong?

A healthy appetite and common sense are excellent guides to follow in matters of diet, and a mixed diet of grains, fruits and meats is undoubtedly the best, in spite of the claims made by vegetarians and food cranks generally.

As compared with grains and vegetables, meat furnishes the most nutriment in a highly concentrated form and is digested and assimilated more quickly than vegetables or grains.

Dr. Julius Remusson on this subject says: Nervous persons, people run down in health and of low vitality should eat plenty of meat. If the digestion is too feeble at first it may be easily strengthened by the regular use of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets after each meal. Two of these excellent tablets taken after dinner will digest several thousand grains of meat, eggs or other animal food in three or four hours, while the malt diastase also contained in Stuart's Tablets cause the perfect digestion of starchy foods, like potatoes, bread, etc., and no matter how weak the stomach may be, no trouble will be experienced if a regular practice is made of using Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets because they supply the pepsin and diastase so necessary to perfect digestion, and any form of indigestion and stomach trouble except cancer of the stomach will be overcome by their daily use.

That large class of people who come under the head of nervous dyspeptics should eat plenty of meat and insure its complete digestion by the systematic use of a safe, harmless digestive medicine like Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets, composed of the natural digestive principles, peptones and diastase, which actually perform the work of digestion and give the abused stomach a chance to rest and to furnish the body and brain with the necessary nutriment. Cheap cathartic medicines masquerading under the name of dyspepsia cures are useless for relief or cure of indigestion because they have absolutely no effect upon the actual digestion of food.

Dyspepsia in all its forms is simply a failure of the stomach to digest food and the sensible way to solve the riddle and cure the indigestion is to make daily use at meal time of a safe preparation which is endorsed by the medical profession and known to contain active digestive principles, and all this can truly be said of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

All druggists throughout the United States, Canada and Great Britain sell them at the uniform price of fifty cents for full treatment.

METCALF HAS PREPARED NEW AMENDMENT.

Senate to Be Asked for Aid for the Harbor.

Result of the Delay in Receiving Heuer's Estimates.

In a private letter, Congressman Metcalf sheds a certain amount of light on the mission of the Oakland Harbor improvement project from the House light which has not been shed by the dispatches which have been published on the subject.

At the time the letter was written, the bill had not passed the House, but Mr. Metcalf found that he was unable to do anything toward getting the Oakland Harbor estimate included in the measure because the Committee on Rivers and Harbors of the House had closed its hearings and had prepared its report before Colonel Heuer's report and estimates of the cost of the work had been sent to Washington. Such being the case, nothing could be done in the House.

Mr. Metcalf consulted on the subject with Senator Perkins and leaders in the House and they advised against the offering of an amendment on the floor of the House. They agreed that when an amendment was offered and defeated, as there was every reason to believe that it would be, the position of the Oakland representatives would be very much weakened.

As the matter stands now, Mr. Metcalf is in a position to send the facts to the Senate Committee saying that he had had no opportunity to present the case of Oakland to the Committee of the House for the reason that there was no report on file and no recommendation. Senator Perkins and Mr. Metcalf have agreed upon the procedure to be followed.

Mr. Metcalf has prepared the amendment and will make a strong effort to have it incorporated in the Harbor bill when it comes before the Senate Committee.

WOMEN OF WOODCRAFT LOSE A "NEIGHBOR."

Oakland Circle, No. 366, Women of Woodcraft, had the misfortune to lose one of its members by death on January 8, when Neighbor Alice D. Hawkins passed away. Her death was very sudden and was a great shock to her relatives and friends. As her remains were cremated the circle did not attend the funeral in a body, but many of the ladies showed their sympathy by placing flowers on the casket. The social side of the meetings will be laid aside for a month, but, as Oakland Circle had planned to join Oakland Camp in installation ceremonies on the evening of January 21, the arrangements cannot be postponed. Great arrangements are being made for that evening, when it is expected that from 300 to 350 Woodmen and Women of Woodcraft will partake of the banquet that is to be provided.

MAYOR WANTS A PEST HOUSE BUILT.

The necessity of a public pest house or hospital for the quarantine of smallpox cases was noted by Mayor Snow this morning when he said to a TRIBUNE man:

"If there are any more smallpox cases coming from New Orleans Oakland had better establish a pest house. Why, it's awful. No sooner is a case about recovered when a new case is found. It seems to me that hospital people in all their beneficence might build an annex for the care and quarantining of smallpox cases, particularly in these days, when they can take care of such a place as easily as your room or kitchen. I would suggest a small building, say of four rooms, but of course no one wants a pest house until he has the smallpox. However, something ought to be done, and that immediately."

CO-OPERATIVE UNION STILL IN SESSION.

The State Co-operative Union was again in session at the Y. M. C. A. hall today. Many papers of interest were read.

The following committees were named:

Incorporating Co-operative Union—W. M. Coward, C. W. Tindall, E. M. Bishop.

Co-operative Journal—C. Y. Roop, F. I. Roop, Britton Weigle.

National Co-operation—J. R. Lewis, W. A. Smythe, Charles W. Emory.

Co-operative Legislation—R. B. Myers, S. P. Saunders, L. L. Walruth.

Co-operative Insurance—J. R. Lewis, A. Hallner, S. P. Coulter.

Press—R. M. Osborn, J. C. Buttner, F. A. Bennett.

GOV'T LUNCHES.

Eminent Doctor Orders Grape-Nuts

An old physician in Washington, D. C., comments on the general practice Government employes have of taking with them for luncheon buttered rolls and a variety of non-nutritious articles of food which they bolt down and go on with their work.

Ultimately dyspepsia and gastric troubles ensue, and in all such cases where he has been called in for consultation the orders have been to abandon all sorts of food for the noonday lunch, except Grape-Nuts, which is a ready-cooked, predigested food and a concentrated form of nourishment.

This is eaten with a little fresh milk or cream which can be secured from the venders who pass through the buildings during the noon hour. The doctor says: "For many reasons I would prefer not to have my name used publicly. Do not object to your furnishing same to any honest inquirer. I have been prescribing Grape-Nuts in numerous cases for about a year and a half and am pleased to say my patients have reason to be thoroughly satisfied with the results. I am myself a strong believer in Grape-Nuts and shall continue to do so long as the preparation gives the results I have obtained thus far." The doctor's name can be had of the Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., Battle Creek, Mich.

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And all House-furnishing Goods.

CANAL TREATY IS NOW BEING CONSIDERED.

British Cabinet Is in Special Council Today.

Belief That England Will Give Way After Some Dodging.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—A dispatch to the Journal and Advertiser from London says:

A special Cabinet council has been called for Friday of this week to consider the disastrous condition of affairs in the South African war and also to discuss the Nicaragua canal matter. Mr. Choate has notified Washington that he expects a decision and speculation is rife as to what will occur. It is almost the unanimous opinion that Great Britain is bound to give way to the American demands, but not without some diplomatic dodging in order to conceal a too apparent surrender. No formal announcement is expected immediately. Cabinet councils are held in great secrecy and none but Ministers are present. All are sworn to secrecy.

Ambassador Choate is working with the same secrecy. Even Henry White, first secretary of the Embassy, is excluded from the Ambassador's confidence in the smallest details.

Lansdowne is reported to be willing to approve the amendments and sign the treaty. Objections, if any, will come from Chamberlain. Ex-Senator Edmunds' article caused deep interest in official circles. The New York correspondents of London papers are endeavoring to cultivate a belief that the Senate' saction was mere jingo trash, unindorsed by any leading statesmen or a majority of the people. Edmunds has upset that fallacy.

In fact, the patronizing air assumed by England toward the United States in the days of the Spanish war is rapidly changing front. Roseberry's recent speech sounding a warning that the United States is absorbing British trade has cast a chill over commercial circles.

TARIFF LEAGUE ELECTS OFFICERS.

Oakland Camp No. 3, Army and Navy Republican League, Department of California, will hold its annual election of officers at Becker's Hall tomorrow evening. The present officers are: Colonel, John C. Little; lieutenant-colonel, M. D. Hyde; major, Dr. E. J. Leonard; adjutant, J. A. Colquhoun; quartermaster, G. A. Blank. There is usually quite a contest over this election, and it is expected that there will be a large attendance of the members. It is said that there are several candidates for the colonelcy. The Camp expects to take as active an interest in the city campaign as it usually does.

SAD DEMISE OF CHARLES GAYETTY.

Charles P. Gayetty, aged 19 years, died last night of peritonitis at his home, 1261 Webster street. His death was particularly sad, in view of the fact that several hours later a child was born to his wife. Mr. Gayetty was a native of California.

Wants to Administer.

A petition for letters of administration on the estate of Henry B. Ferguson, deceased, has been filed by Philo Mills. Ferguson died at Paulding, Ohio, June 21, 1900. The petition states that the estate in this county consists of an uncertain interest in real property in the San Pablo Avenue Villa Tract.

Portuguese Social Society.

Articles of incorporation have been filed of the "Sociedade Portugueza Rainha Santa Izabel." There is no capital stock, the society being of a purely social and benevolent nature. The incorporators are Maria S. Costa, Maria Marcella, Mrs. Henrigueta Silva and Marianna Mendonca.

Charged With Larceny.

James Williamson was arrested yesterday afternoon at Emeryville on a charge of petty larceny. He was taken to the County Jail. The warrant was issued on a complaint sworn to by Marshal Lane of the race track town.

DOINGS OF THE ENDEAVORERS.

Edited By the Alameda County Christian Endeavor Union.

The regular monthly executive meeting of the Alameda County C. E. Union will be held Monday evening, January 21st, at the Y. M. C. A. building. This is the last executive meeting before the election of officers, and each officer, superintendent and chairman of committees should have a written report of all work done during the past year, to enable the president to make a complete report of at the convention next month.

The semi-annual election of the Alameda Young People's City Union was held Tuesday evening, January 8th, at the First Christian Church. The following officers were elected for the ensuing term: President, Robert Priest; vice-president, J. G. White; secretary and treasurer, Bessie B. Hierlihy.

The regular quarterly C. E. convention to be held next month promises to be of unusual interest and profit. The committee in charge is bending every energy to make it a success in every way. The program in full will be printed in this column later, and all Endeavorers should make it a point to be there. A successful convention meets a need not met in any other way, and C. E. workers cannot afford to miss the opportunity offered. Those who are not Endeavorers but are interested in our work are cordially invited to attend. Details will be printed later.

DISTRICT LODGE MEETING OF GOOD TEMPLARS.

The District Lodge, I. O. G. T., will meet in Pythian Castle, Twelfth and Franklin streets, next Monday at 10 o'clock a. m. There will be an afternoon session. It was expected to have an evening session, but Oakland Lodge, which meets at that time, has a long string of candidates to initiate that evening and could not well give way for the district lodge. It is urged that all delegates be on hand at 10 a. m., so that the business can be completed promptly during the day session.

There is renewed evidences of increased interest in temperance work in this district and Northern California.

"WHERE SLUGGISH TIDES CREEP IN."

Yelland's masterpiece, "Where Sluggish Tides Creep In," has been selected by the Library Trustees to be retained to grace a wall in the new Library building. Of the $250 to be paid to Mrs. Yelland for this picture, but $43 remains to be raised. Mrs. F. M. Smith, wife of the "Borax King," sending in a check for $25 yesterday. Librarian Greene has gracefully acknowledged receipt.

BOLD BURGLARY IN BROAD DAYLIGHT.

Some time during yesterday afternoon a burglar effected an entrance to the residence of W. H. Wallard, 1207 Poplar street, by forcing open a side window, and carried off some jewelry and a small amount of money, to the value of about $25.

MASCAGNI'S NEW OPERA A SUCCESS.

Sung Simultaneously In Six Italian Cities.

Tremendous Furore in Rome and the Author Given an Ovation.

Associated Press Dirpatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—A dispatch to the Journal and Advertiser from Rome says:

Mascagni's "Le Maschere" was produced last (Thursday) night at the Teatro Costandi in Rome and simultaneously in Venice, Turin, Genoa, Verona and Milan. It was to have been produced in Naples also, but the performance was postponed until Saturday.

The performance in Rome was an enormous success, and there was a great demonstration in the theater in honor of Mascagni. Musically the opera is considered a true continuance of the ancient Italian music. The prologue, symphony, duet and finale serenade in the first act, three choruses, the finale and other numbers were enthusiastically encored. Mascagni said in an interview:

"Tell my American friends I am very well satisfied. The results have exceeded my hopes. I had wished to revive the melodrama of Cimarosa and Rossini, and this production demonstrates that the resurrection of the lyrical theater is possible only by going back to the sources of Italian music. It proves also that the Italian public tolerated modern exaggerations because they could find nothing better."

A Life and Death Fight.

Mr. W. A. Hines of Manchester, Ia., writing of his almost miraculous escape from death, says: "Exposure after measles induced serious lung trouble, which ended in Consumption. I had frequent hemorrhages and coughed night and day. All my doctors said I must soon die. Then I began to use Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, which completely cured me. I would not be without it even if it cost $5.00 a bottle. Hundreds have used it on my recommendation and all say it never fails to cure Throat, Chest and Lung troubles." Regular size 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free at Osgood Bros.' Drug Store, cor. Seventh and Broadway.

Executors' Account.

George W. Disher, F. W. Lange Jr. and Adelaide Tyack have filed their final account as executors of the estate of Annie L. Lange, deceased. They have received cash to the amount of $2,667.80 and expended $2,240.75, leaving a balance on hand of $427.15.

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MRS. BIGGS' News Stand, Bay Station.

R. J. SMITH'S News Stand, 2226 Santa Clara avenue.

BERKELEY.

J. GIBSON'S Blue and Gold Restaurant, 2127 Center street. Sample copy free with each meal.

NEEDHAM BROS., New P. O. Building, Shattuck avenue.

MOHR'S News Stand, 2109 Shattuck avenue, Dwight way.

W. R. POND'S Drug Store, 2134 Shattuck avenue

MRS. LONG'S Restaurant, 2207 Telegraph avenue

WOLFF'S Drug Store, 777 University avenue, West Berkeley.

OAKLAND.

HAHN'S News Depot, corner Seventh and Pine streets, West Oakland.

MISS M E. BURDICK'S Notion Store, P. O Building, 2462 Telegraph avenue

GARRETT & TAGGART'S Drug Store, junction of San Pablo avenue and Fourteenth street.

JACKSON'S PHARMACY, 1775 Seventh street, West Oakland.

A L. LEHER'S Drug and Stationery Store, 962 934 Seventh street.

VOIGT & KOERTNER'S Grocery, Thirty-fourth street and Telegraph avenue.

WENTWORTH'S Drug Store, corner of Thirteenth avenue and Fourteenth street, East Oakland.

L. J. WESTLAKE'S Emeryville Pharmacy, San Pablo and Park avenues

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FREE—Genteel leather ticket and card holders. Mohns & Kaltenbach, 20 Market street, San Francisco. b

FOR "Up-to-date Signs" see ALTENDORF, 501 San Pablo ave., cor. Clay and Seventeenth sts. Tel. green 424. b

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OAKLAND Window Cleaning Co., 512 Seventh st.; order box S W. cor. Twelfth and Broadway; cleaning show cases, looking glasses, windows, paints, floors scrubbed, etc.; contracts by week or month; phone 642 main. G. Pigone. b

PERSONALS

MADAME SODAN, world renowned card reader and palmist, room 17, Lester House, 523 8th st.; truth or no fee. c

FOR SALE MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—Fine family cow. William Broderick, Prospect ave, near Hopkins st., Fruitvale. x

FOR SALE—Baby carriage, 1003 Franklin st. x

FOR SALE—One of Young's Improved Brooder, three sections, holds 228 chicks, cost $14, will sell for $5 One Petaluma Incubator, holds 120 eggs; $8. Must be sold, parties going to leave city. O. W. Chamberlain, 1205 San Pablo ave., Oakland. x

MUST HAVE MONEY—Will sacrifice 1,000 shares stock Diamond Oil Company in blocks to suit, at 40 cents a share; company's price 75 cents. Call or address Mrs. H. M Adams, The Albany, hours from 11 to 3. x

UPRIGHT PIANO sacrificed; will take bicycle or square piano as part payment. Address box 22, Tribune. x

FOR SALE—Boarding house of twenty-eight rooms, sunny and central. Address 572 Tenth st. x

VERY GENTLE COW (heavy milker) for sale at 171 E. 11th st., Oakland. x

FOR SALE—Milk route; sixty quarts; six cows and horse, cheap. Address Dairy, box 78, Elmhurst. x

YOUNG, gentle, fresh cow for sale. 5932 Grove st. x

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FROM $100 upward. Du Bay Smith, Searcher of Records and N. P., 459 9th.

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IDEAL gold filling inserted for 75c, with written guarantee for 5 years. Ideal Dental Co., 6 Eddy st., S. F.; plates $3; crowns $1.

A DISCOUNT of 20 per cent for thirty days on all plates, crowns and bridgework; see our new unbreakable plate, the Rose Pearl, warranted for twenty years; crowns $3.50; fillings 50 cts; plates $5 full set; all work painless and warranted. Chicago Dental Parlors, 24 Sixth st., San Francisco.

DR. GEO. E. LEEK, 22 O'Farrell, extracts or fills teeth painlessly by his metal or flexible plate $3; bridges $4; received eight first prizes; no students; lady attendant; guarantee twelve years.

J. M. DUNN, D. D. S.—Dental Parlors, 1002½ Broadway, rooms 14-16, Union National Bank Building, Oakland, Cal.

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ROOMS with or without board. Apply 626 Eighteenth st. n

SIX furnished rooms for housekeeping. Three rooms, $8. 1159 Seventh st. n

NICE sunny housekeeping rooms, all modern improvements; also single rooms, $3 50 up, everything new. Inquire at 419 Sixth st. n

FOR RENT—Three or four neatly furnished rooms for housekeeping. 1211 West st.; no children. n

PLEASANT, SUNNY rooms, nicely furnished; gas, running water, fire; will rent reasonable Apply 521 Filbert st.; telephone green 482. n

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CHAPMAN & CLIFT, Attorneys-at-Law, 906 Broadway, Oakland, telephone 836.

FREDERICK E WHITNEY, Attorney-at-Law, removed to 921 Broadway, rooms 17 and 18; phone red 2060.

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C. H. TEBBS, Attorney-at-Law, 1062½ Broadway, rooms 26-27.

HAROLD L. MARTIN, Attorney-at-Law, rooms 15 and 16, 921 Broadway.

FRANK LITTLE, Attorney-at-Law, room 64, third floor Blake & Moffitt building, 906 Broadway, Oakland.

FRANK LITTLE Attorney-at-Law, room 22, 137 Montgomery street, San Francisco.

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GOODCELL & MENDENHALL, Attorneys-at-Law, Dingee block, northwest corner Eighth and Broadway.

FOX & GRAY, Attorneys-at-Law, Pacific Mutual building, entrance 6, fourth floor, San Francisco.

GEORGE E. DE GOLIA, 967 Broadway, northeast corner of Ninth st., Oakland, room 2, telephone No 28

JOHNSON & SHAW, Law Office, 909 Broadway, rooms 49, 50 and 51.

MELVIN C. CHAPMAN, Attorney-at-Law, has removed to 905 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

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$8,000—Choice bargain; fine modern 10 room corner residence, Tenth ave.; cost $12,000.

$7,000—Lakeside district; beautiful 10 room modern residence, specially constructed.

$5,000—Fine 9 room house; Alison st.

$4,650—Fine 9 room home; Filbert st.

$5,750—New 8 room home; Lakeside district.

$5,000—Fine 9 room home; Telegraph ave.

$4,100—New 8 room home; Twenty-seventh st. and Telegraph ave.

$3,500—New 6 room home; Adeline station.

$3,750—New 5 room home; Blackstone Heights.

$3,650—New 8 room home; Twenty-eighth st. and Telegraph ave.

$3,500—One of the pretty colonial homes near Linda Vista; 7 rooms; mortgaged; must sell.

$3,100—Fruitvale ave.; snap; fine 2 story 10 room corner; lot 141x229; land worth more

$3,000—Ninth ave.; beautiful cottage home; has every appointment; 50x150

$2,650—Latham Terrace; beautiful 8 room home; 40x166; table; fine view.

$2,750—Near Broadway and Twenty-sixth st.; corner, 8 room home; offer wanted.

$3,000—Business corner; 50 ft.; worth $5,000; has fine future, fair improvements, always rented; $22 month.

$2,500—Near Seventh and Broadway; store, three rooms; flat 6 rooms; modern building, fine order; rents $25.

$2,500—Prominent corner on Telegraph ave.; 50x100, with store and cottage on same.

$2,500—Near Senator Perkins'; $250 cash, $25 month; new colonial 8 room house; bank sale.

$150 cash buys equity in new 8 room house within 5 minutes' walk of Broadway and Fourteenth st.; incumbrance $2,750; sacrifice

$2,250—Neat 5 room cottage near City Hall; rents $20; nice neighborhood

$2,500—Foreclosure sale; offer wanted; 7 room cottage; bath; 50x160, bet. Grove st and Telegraph ave.

$2,250—Near Telegraph ave. and Thirty-eighth st.; modern 2 story house; 7 looms, bath, cement basement; 50 foot lot, fine 1750 barn; flat mortgage of $1,500; offer wanted.

$1,750—Near Telegraph ave.; extra cosy, new 2 story home; 6 rooms; porcelain bath; mortgage $1,250, snap.

$1,750 each—Two 6 room cottages; bath; renting $16 month; north Market st. station; bargains; must sell.

$1,650—Flats, 4 and 5 rooms; well located; rents $18, near Market st. station, north of Seventh.

$1,450—Bank mortgage $1,200; $250 cash; new cottage, 4 rooms, porcelain bath, mantel; Thirty-fourth st.; near cars

$1,400—Foreclosure; bargain; cottage; 5 rooms, bath; near Clinton station; rents $16; must sell.

$1,400—Cost $1,500 at foreclosure; modern 5 room cottage; lot 31x170; near Fruitvale ave.

$1,000—Myrtle st, near Twenty-eighth; neat home; 5 rooms; bath, stable; lot 25x122; street complete.

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$5 00—No 562 29th st. between Telegraph ave. and Grove sa.; 4 rooms, bath and basement, etc.; city water free.

$5 50—No. 759 41st st. between Grove and West sts; 4 rooms, bath and basement, chicken houses; city water; lot 37½x110

$8 00—No. 522 44th st. between Telegraph ave. and Grove st.; 5 rooms, stable; lot 50x100.

$5 00—No. 645 41st st., near Grove st.; 4 rooms—$8 00.

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$10 00—No 4098 Grove st, corner 41st st.; store and 3 living rooms, inclosed yard, city water

$10 00—No. 4090 Grove st. bet. 40th and 41st sts; store, stable and sheds, large yard; suitable for butcher shop or wood and coal yard.

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Only $100 down, balance only $13 per month, including interest, will buy a new, neat, modern, up-to-date cottage of four nice rooms, bathroom pantry with sink in pantry, laundry tub, patent toilet; all fenced in; only occupied three months; four minutes to local train; see photo at our office. JAS. S. NAISMITH, 452 Ninth st.

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LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Pair of skates. Reward upon return to H. W. Heim, 513 Fourteenth street. r

LOST—Wednesday, black cocker spaniel. Return to Capt Goodall, 150 Lake st., and receive reward. r

LOST—Package containing a small ledger, with accounts mostly balanced. Reward waiting at 971 Broadway, room 1. r

DOG LOST—Irish setter, 1 year old; license 202. Return to 373 Sixth st. and receive reward. r

LOST—On Washington st., between 7th and 8th, a lady's gold thimble. Suitable reward upon return to this office.

EDUCATIONAL AND MUSICAL

MADAME E. B. MELQUIOND, Professeur de Francais, 216 Eleventh st., bet. Jackson and Alice; phone Clay 742. y

J. F. PALMER, teacher of mandolin, guitar and banjo; director of Palmer's Mandolin Orchestra; Juvenile Mandolin and Guitar Club and Ladies' Banjo Quintet. If interested in these instruments you are invited to club rehearsal Saturday evenings. Macdonough Rldg., rooms 1 and 2, Oakland.

TWO DEATHS ARE REPORTED FROM SAN LEANDRO.

SAN LEANDRO, Jan. 18.—Orlando Frederighi, San Leandro's well known blacksmith, died yesterday at 11 o'clock. Frederighi, who is but 24 years old, was taken down about two weeks ago with typhoid pneumonia. The deceased leaves a brother and sister. The date of the funeral has not yet been announced.

Mrs. Luzia Joaquinia Pereira, a long sufferer from paralysis, died suddenly at her home yesterday at 11 o'clock. The deceased was 65 years of age. She leaves two brothers, four nephews and two nieces. The date of the funeral has not yet been fixed.

The San Leandro Fire Department will give its second annual ball at the U. P. E. C. Hall on Thursday evening, February 21st. Barney's Orchestra has been engaged for the occasion. The committees in charge are as follows: Floor manager, Budd Eber; assistant floor manager, Harry Smith; reception, O. Best, Harry Cary, W.C. Bettencourt, Manuel Enos, William Gannon.

Harry Knox left for Honolulu today.

FRUITVALE

FRUITVALE, Jan. 18—James Allen Abbey is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Schloat.

Miss Amy Collier is slowly improving.

A. Alexandra will leave shortly for Oakdale, where he will spend a few months with his uncle, J. R. Jewett.

M. Corona and Jesus Czarnias of San Lorenzo were in town yesterday.

ELMHURST.

ELMHURST, Jan. 18.—All the cars of the Oakland, San Leandro and Haywards Electric Company are receiving a fresh coat of paint. Two of the electric carriages are being entirely rebuilt. They are to be square front, double truck with hinged sides. They will have 250 horse power each. The cars will be the longest on the coast—thirty-six feet.

Ed Johnson is having a large wooden awning placed in front of his shop.

J. Ganzaro is quite ill. He has trouble with his lungs.

A number of men were putting up the fences that were blown down by the last wind storm in and about Fitchburg.

SAN LORENZO.

SAN LORENZO, Jan. 18.—Miss Annie Tychson of St. Helena visited relatives here during the past week.

Miss Lulu Harris of Oakland is visiting her sister, Mrs. B. Burns.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Shiman have returned from their wedding tour.

Mrs. G. Schofield of San Francisco visited relatives in town on Wednesday.

H. W. Meek has returned from San Jose, where he has been attending the meetings of the Dried Fruit Association.

Miss Alice Imbrie of San Francisco visited at the home of H. R. Quigley for a few days.

Branin Bros. have purchased a lot from the Meek estate and will immediately commence the erection of a fine residence.

W. H. CROCKER MAKES DONATION TO U. C.

BERKELEY, Jan. 18.—W. H. Crocker of San Francisco has offered to defray the expenses of a solar eclipse expedition to be sent by the University of California to Sumatra. W. W. Campbell, director of the Lick Observatory, is now forming plans for the trip.

Mr. Campbell himself will not go on the expedition, but an astronomer and one assistant from the observatory will be sent. They will leave here about February 17th, and be gone until July. Their apparatus, which will be sent from Mount Hamilton, will be set up near Padang, on the west coast of Sumatra.

The opportunity for important observations will be great, as the sun will be obscured six minutes and thirty seconds—four times as long as the recent Georgia eclipse. The United States Government has given $10,000 for a like expedition to Sumatra, from the Naval Observatory.

The Wilmerding School.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, Jan. 18.—At the next meeting of the Wilmerding School Committee of the Regents of the University the names of a number of men, some in California, some in the East, will be considered in connection with the vacancy existing since the death of Director Schwarz of the Wilmerding School. While in the East, President Wheeler investigated conditions in a number of important manual training and industrial schools, with a view to utilizing the facts in the Wilmerding School. The problem of the vacant directorship is recognized as a very weighty one.

Something to Remember.

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NOTARIES PUBLIC

GEORGE W. AUSTIN, Notary Public, 1008 Broadway near Tenth st.

HAYWARDS TRUSTEES HOLD REGULAR MEETING.

HAYWARDS, Jan. 18.—At last the dark-eyed beauty Miss Rosie de Mello and Manuel Peters have been united in marriage. Wednesday at 8 o'clock, in the Haywards Catholic Church, Peters led his young bride to the altar, where the Rev. Father Lally performed the ceremony. Mrs. F. Nevis was the matron of honor and F. Nevis was best man. In the evening the young people of the town serenaded the happy couple at their new home on D street. Peters, who was not slow to recognize the boys, invited them in to partake of the banquet.

The Town Board of Trustees held its regular meeting Wednesday evening. All the members were present except M. C. Peterson and N. Brunner.

After the meeting was called to order and the minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. Trustee Croby reported that the slats in the tower of the fire house had been removed. Dr. Powell next stated that no action had, as yet, been taken regarding the licensing of cigars in the restaurants. Superintendent of Streets J. Ramage reported that he had notified the Electric Light Company to put in proper shape the light on Castro street near Pierrerlie.

President H. Hunt of Hunt's cannery then asked permission to lay a water main to the cannery. The matter was laid over till the next meeting in order that the water company may be heard from. The meeting then adjourned.

The Oakland, San Leandro and Haywards Electric Railway Company have a force of men at work pulling up the tracks from A to B streets on Fourth to Castro and Main. This will only leave the track on B street from Castro west to the Southern Pacific station.

The advertised letter list is as follows: Francisco Cabral Pereira, Francisco Silveira Caldeira, J. Kuzekamo, Ree Sum, Joao Silveira Rodriges, Mrs. Maria da Rozario, Manuel Furtado de Sousa, Manuel Ignacio da Silveira.

ORIENTAL STUDENTS WILL HOLD A MEETING.

BERKELEY, Jan. 18.—The Oriental Union, composed of the Chinese and Japanese students of the University, has arranged for a series of meetings during the current term. They will be held in room 1 of the Mechanics building at 7:30 P. M., as follows:

January 19—Paper, "The Ascent of Man—A Vision of the Twentieth Century." Y. K. Yabe.

February 16—Debate, "Resolved, That the great powers would be justified in partitioning China"; affirmative, S. Fudita; negative, S. M. Tamura.

March 2—Address, "Japanese Ideas of Chivalry," Professor G. M. Stratton.

March 16—Social meeting and reception.

March 30—Debate, "Resolved, That the immigration of Mongolian laborers should be prohibited by the United States"; affirmative, M. Nakanouchi; negative, T. Murakami.

April 13—Paper, "Occidental vs. Japanese Views of Japan and the Japanese," Yoshisaburo Kuno.

April 27—Address, subject to be announced, Mr. Ho Yow, Chinese Consul-General.

PRESIDENT WHEELER WANTS BOOK ON CLIMATOLOGY.

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, Jan. 18.—While President Wheeler was in Washington he visited the United States Weather Bureau and consulted Professor Willis J. Moore and James Wilson, Secretary of Agriculture, on the subject of a book on the climatology of California, a work very much needed at the present time by a variety of interests.

Professor Hilgard has earnestly recommended such a plan, his own writings on the subject being long since out of print. The data for an accurate climatology of the State are to a large extent available in the accumulated weather reports for various parts of the State, but a work is needed which shall bring the material together and state it in terms of human life need, and interest. Both Secretary Wilson and Professor Moore readily recognized the importance of the plan and promised to see it carried out at an early day.

The preparation of the work will probably be completed after conference between Professor Hilgard and Alexander G. McAdie, forecast official in San Francisco and Honorary Lecturer in Meteorology in the University, who is one of the most accomplished meteorologists in the United States, and who has already for some time been at work on the accumulation of material suitable for such a volume.

Collette Will Filed.

The will of John S. Collette, who died last June, was filed for probate yesterday by the widow, Mary Collette. The estate is worth about $1,000, and is bequeathed to Mrs. Collette, with the exception of a few books, which are willed to decedent's sister, Lillie Clawson.

OFFICIAL RECORDS.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 17, 1900.

DEEDS.

Jan 16, 01—Union Savings Bank to C B Tackle, E Okd, NE E 22d st 302-6 NW 21st av NW 50 x NE 140 Lots 47 and 48 on Map of Resub of blk 73, Northern Addn to Bklyn, U S I R S, $—, $10.

Jan 17, 01—C B Tackle (single) to Antone F Abreu, E Okd, NE E 22d st 302 6 NW 21st av NW 25 x NE 140 Lot 47 blk 73, on Map of Resub blk 73, Same, 50 cts; $10.

Jan 10, 01—A L Sobey to O G May, Bklyn, NE Derby st and Manoa av N 50 x E 100.48 ptn Lot 13, blk 1, Hillegass tract, Map 3, $1; $10.

Jan 16, 01—John C and Charity L Rogers to H H Shaw, Bklyn, E Fremont st 100 S Woolsey st S 40 x E 100 Lot 22 Berkeley Park, 50 cts; $10.

Jan 12, 01—John and Ellen Axtill to D Swanson, Bklyn Tp, S Bay View av 100 E Walnut st E 50 x S 141 Lot 15 blk 15 blk 11, Warner tract, $—; $10.

Jan 10, 01—Margaret Moore to Mary F Davis, Bklyn Tp, Lots 24, 25 and 26 blk O, Amended Map Moss tract, 50 cents; $200.

Dec 28, 00—W Stanley Pardy to Nellie Hauber wf Charles A, Wash Tp, S Smith st from which the NE cor of the Alvarado School Lot bears SW 200 distant th NE 50 SE 100 NE 50 SE 50 SW 100 NW 150 to beg, Alvarado, $1 50; $10.

Jan 11, 01—Nellie and Chas A Hauber to Daniel Jackson, Wash Tp, Same, $1,550; $1,450.

Jan 17, 01—Virginia W Allen (widow) to Virginia Whiting, Okd, E Valdez st 113 S Elm st S 50 x E 75 ptn Lot 3 blk 12, Pacific Hd, gift.

June 26, 99—Mathilde Schou to A H Schou, Okd, E Adeline st 50 N 32d st N 57-6 E 127 S 7-6 W 18 S 100 W 20 N 50 W 89 to beg, gift.

Jan 7, 01—Francis Redington to Margaret T Redington, E Okd, NW Capi-

ARMED GUARDS.

Men Are Parading the Streets With Guns.

CORBIN, Ky., Jan. 18.—State militia under command of Colonel R. D. Williams, arrived here this morning before day break and began disciplining the riotous citizens, on account of whose conduct three persons were killed and three fatally wounded by bullets and explosions of dynamite on Wednesday.

Colonel Williams ordered the arrest of three sons of James Shotwell, who was killed by Raleigh White on Wednesday, and they have been sent to Williamsburg, where they will be held to appear before the Grand Jury on the charge of intimidation. The men with their friends, after the killing of James Shotwell, paraded the streets and fired numerous volleys at the store where the officers had White under guard. They also attacked Sheriff Sutter and posse, who were taking White to Williamsburg yesterday morning. There was great excitement when the Shotwell boys were put on the train this morning and the indignation against the troops was pronounced.

BILL AGAINST KIDNAPING.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 18.—Senator Corlett of Napa has introduced two bills upon the timely subject of kidnaping. Some months since a case in which two officers of a Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children were involved showed the inadequate character of the California statutes in regard to this matter.

The Cudahy case in Nebraska has emphasized the necessity for stringent laws for the punishment of this crime, and of a clear definition of the meaning of the word in the eyes of the law. Corlett's measure provides that the punishment for the offense be confinement in the State Prison not less than one year nor more than twenty years. A person is guilty of kidnaping who shall kidnap, take, steal and carry away another person with intent to do bodily harm, or to deprive the person of his liberty, or with the intent of demanding or exacting from him or from any person any reward, money or anything of value, or to compel any person to do anything against his will. Any person aiding in or conniving at any of these things is equally guilty, as is any person who exacts or demands of any person or in a general way any reward for the release of any person in restraint. Equally guilty is any person who threatens another with bodily harm, or threatens that he will do any harm to any person, not naming them, for the purpose of exacting money or other consideration, or for the purpose of compelling any person to do an act against his will, or for the purpose of preventing the discovery of any crime, or for the purpose of preventing the recovery of any person kidnaped, stolen or carried away. Or any person, other than the father or mother, who shall take, steal or carry away a minor, or who shall hide or secrete from the legal guardian thereof any minor. Any person who shall bring to the State from another State any person kidnaped in any of the ways described shall be deemed guilty of kidnaping, and shall be triable in any county where the person kidnaped is found or in any county where he shall have been proven to be while under restraint.

"The "Young Legislators," an organization composed of the pages of the Senate and Assembly, is in working order for the present session. Officers have been elected as follows. President, Donn J. Shields of Los Angeles; vice president, Forest J. Swears of San Francisco; secretary, Esmond M. Smith of Oakland; treasurer, Sam Wacholder of San Francisco; minute clerk, Francis Springer of Santa Barbara; sergeant-at-arms Dannie Love of San Francisco. The other members are Monroe Gilman, Willie Lardner, William Saunders, Elwood Feeney, Emmett Rhoads, Dean W. Hasson, Woodburn Lamphrey, Ralph Schluer, Reed Baxter, Eldon Wickham, Edward Roeder, Earle Byrne, W. Lanktree. Officials have, it will be observed, been chosen with due regard to geographical lines. Parliamentary tactics will be practiced by the youngsters.

S. P. MEETING.

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—At a special meeting of the stockholders of the Southern Pacific Company today the number of directors was increased from 11 to 12. The additional director was not elected at the meeting, and no date has been set for such action.

M'Kinley's Plans.

According to a letter received by E. W. Marston, president of the Board of Trade, from George B. Cortelyou, secretary to President McKinley, and read at a meeting of the Board today, the nation's Executive has not yet made any plans for a trip to the Pacific Coast.

Nevilles Big Suit.

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 18.—Colonel W. A. Nevilles of San Francisco has sued City Marshal B. M. Baker of San Pedro for $10,000 damages. In his complaint Nevilles states that with his wife he peaceably entered Baker's office to pay taxes and was placed under arrest without cause and imprisoned in "a dirty room for an hour."

AT BED TIME.

I take a pleasant herb drink, the next morning I feel bright and my complexion is better. My doctor says it acts gently on the stomach, liver and kidneys, and is a pleasant laxative. It is made from herbs, and is prepared as easily as tea. It is called Lane's Medicine. All druggists sell it at 25c and 50 cts. Lane's Family Medicine moves the bowels each day. If you cannot get it, send for a free sample. Address, Orator F. Woodward, Le Roy, N. Y.

IN HANDS OF JURY.

Close of the Trial of the Mill Girl's Murderers.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

PATERSON, N. J., Jan. 18.—The Bosschelter case was given to the jury at 3.45 o'clock.

It was generally expected that the last day of the Bosschelter murder trial would be today. A great crowd gathered outside the Court House this morning, but only a limited number of persons were admitted to the court room.

Former Judge William T. Hoffman made the closing address for the defense.

A HANDSOME NEW YEAR'S PRESENT.

Bought for One Dollar, But Worth Thousands.

Frank Laidlaw, cashier with D. H. Bibb Lumber Company of San Francisco, purchased quarter, or $1 ticket, No. 19,073, for his wife, Mrs. Augusta Laidlaw, in the lottery of the Beneficencia Publica Company, City of Mexico, which won $60,000, her share being $15,000, which was promptly paid to her.

But a still more fortunate individual was a resident of the city of Los Angeles, who bought whole ticket No. 54,991 for the September 27, 1900, drawing in the above-named lottery, which drew the whole of the first capital prize, $60,000, which amount was promptly paid to J. Greenwald, 107 South Spring street, Los Angeles, the above investment costing $1.

The cause of the popularity of the Lottery of the Beneficencia Publica Company, City of Mexico, on this Coast is because so many of our residents have won capital prizes during the last ten years.

A further reason is that the public know that the company owning the Lottery of the Beneficencia Publica is the only corporation in the Republic of Mexico holding concessions from the Mexican National Government, and the only one authorized and indorsed by said government, who appoints Dr. Gregorio Orive for the treasury department and Apolinar Castillo intervenor; therefore everybody is assured of the honesty and reliability of the old reliable lottery of the Beneficencia Publica Company, City of Mexico, of which U. Bassetti is president and manager.

Purchasers should see that the tickets read Lottery of the Beneficencia Publica Company, City of Mexico, and signed Apolinar Castillo, intervenor, and U. Bassetti, manager.

OBSERVER.

JUSTICE LARUE MISREPRESENTED.

An article appears in the morning's issue of a local paper in which it is stated that Justice Larue of East Oakland had sentenced one Ernest Mosca to imprisonment for one day in the County Jail and to pay a fine of $10, all because the Justice imagined his dignity insulted because Mosca failed to appear in court yesterday in answer to a summons. The impression apparently sought to be conveyed is that Justice Larue was actuated by personal spite in the matter.

Justice Larue was seen by a TRIBUNE reporter today and asked for his version of the matter. He disclaimed the motive attributed to him, and said:

"The facts in the case are simply these: Mosca came into my court and asked for a warrant for the arrest of one Cicero, on a charge of assault with a deadly weapon. He claimed that Cicero attacked him and would have shot him had he not been held by Mrs. Mosca. Cicero was arrested and released on bonds. His arraignment was set for 10 A. M. on the 16th, and Mosca as the complaining witness was served with a summons to appear against him. He failed to appear, and a bench warrant was issued for him.

"Yesterday, when the case came up, Mosca swore that Cicero had no weapon at the time of the alleged assault. The case against Cicero was accordingly dismissed for lack of testimony. I asked Mosca why he had not answered the subpoena served on him to appear in court on the 16th. He said he had been at work, that he was a poor man and could not afford to lose the time. I did not consider his excuse a sufficient one, and in order to make him respect the orders of the court, and not through any personal feeling, I sentenced him to one day's imprisonment and to pay a fine of $10. I think he should have been given the maximum punishment, which is one day's imprisonment and a fine of $100, but I did not wish to be severe on him.

"I want to say that any journal that encourages people to disregard the orders and processes of the courts is either in sympathy with the lawless classes or else its editors are too stupid for the position they hold."

VENUS IS UNHAPPY.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 18.—The Bulletin today says that Marian Nolan, once famous as "California's Venus," has left her husband. She married Don Fernandez Cabrera of Mexico. It is said her married life was unhappy. She lived in Mexico for a time.

A Corporation Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Belden-Cook Installment Home Building Company, a corporation, was held at the company's office yesterday and the following Board of Directors elected for the ensuing term: H. B. Belden, E. P. Cook, Ben F. Woolner, George W. Dornin and E. M. Floud. Upon convening of the new Board the following officers were elected: H. B. Belden, president and manager; E. P. Cook, vice president; E. M. Floud, secretary; Central Bank, treasurer, and Ben F. Woolner, attorney.

Although organized but a year, the company has proved no small factor in the progress and upbuilding of the city, having erected during that period twenty-seven houses. It has met with well merited prosperity, and a dividend of 6 per cent was declared and a handsome amount set aside to the reserve fund.

Murder Charge.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 18.—The jury in the matter of the killing of William Trewella on Monday last reached a verdict at noon, charging Robert E. Glaze with murder.

CANAL TREATY.

British Cabinet Takes Action in the Matter.

LONDON, Jan. 18.—The amended Hay-Pauncefote treaty was discussed at a protracted Cabinet conference today. The Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, the Marquis of Lansdowne, has taken no action so far. He probably will embody the result of the deliberations in a dispatch or in an interview with the United States Embassador, Joseph H. Choate, Monday.

The exact decision arrived at is guarded with secrecy. An impression exists that the Cabinet confined itself to authorizing Lord Lansdowne to have further conference with Mr. Choate, the lines of which are naturally not given out.

BEGS TO TRADE WITH OAKLAND.

W. A. Boole of Boole & Son, proprietors of the new shipyards at the foot of Adeline street, appeared before the Board of Trade today and solicited assistance in the matter of making a good roadway from the foot of Adeline and Linden streets to the shipyards, so that Oakland might be reached by team.

He had applied to the City Council two weeks ago to order the work, and the matter had been referred to Councilmen Meese and Mott, but nothing further had been heard of the project, and Mr. Boole stated today that he is still compelled to run a boat over to San Francisco for the materials used at the yards.

Mr. Boole stated that the first large vessel built at the new yards will be launched about March 1st, and he thought some kind of a road ought to be constructed for the accommodation of those of the public who desire to witness the launching.

He has four more vessels in course of construction, and he offered to contribute $100 toward the expense of building a roadway.

John A. Britton immediately offered to put up another hundred.

The Board finally adopted a resolution directing the secretary to ascertain through the City Engineer the probable cost of such a roadway as is desired, and referring the matter to the Manufactures Committee, of which Supervisor John Mitchell is chairman, and H. O. Trowbridge, P. M. Remillard, A. S. McDonald and W. J. Dingee associates, and urging the committee to push the matter.

COMPLAINT ABOUT STENOGRAPHERS.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 18.—Some comment has been occasioned in both houses by the apparent unfitness of attaches for their duties. Much of the criticism falls upon the stenographers, particularly those employed in the Assembly. There is much complaint that the stenographers are hard to find and in some cases not serviceable when at hand. Weber of Napa yesterday introduced a resolution providing for the appointment of a committee of three to examine into the matter and ascertain whether the stenographers had done any work since appointment, and also whether they are competent. It is more than probable that the committee will run across one or two stenographers who are all right in many respects, but are somewhat handicapped in this legislative work by being unable to write shorthand. One case is known where an official stenographer applied to a newspaper reporter for a speech which the reporter had taken down verbatim, and when the reporter read his notes the stenographer took them down in long hand. But this only means that one or two or more persons will probably be removed from the payroll to make room for others who understand stenography and will do their work.

YOU DON'T HAVE TO GO BAREFOOTED

NEVER!

Not while our January Shoe Sale is going on. Tomorrow Shoes will be sacrificed at one half their actual value

ON SALE TO-MORROW

200 pairs Infants' black button shoes at 15c.

60 pairs Infants' Dongola, 2 to 6, at 35c.

120 pairs Childs' Dongola lace shoes, spring heels, new coin toe, at 95c.

65 pairs Ladies' French kid button shoes, plain toe, worth from $2.50 and $3.00, at 50c.

115 pairs hand sewed and hand turned button shoes, with patent leather tips, narrow square top, worth from $2.50 to $3.50, at 75c.

Ladies' Dongola Button or Lace Coin Toe, patent leather tip at $1.00.

Ladies' Dongola, vesting top, coin toe, patent leather tip, worth $2.00, at 95c.

200 pairs of Ladies' Sample Ties, worth $2.00 to $3.00, on sale at 95c.

140 pairs Ladies' fine hand-sewed Shoes, with heavy extension soles, up-to-date styles—worth $3.00 and $3.50 at $1.95.

60 pairs of Boys' heavy calf school shoes, double soles at 95c.

65 pairs of Men's calf lace and congress shoes at 95c.

The TRUSTEE SHOE SALE.

962 Washington St.

Trustee, J. SIMON

GIRL DISAPPEARS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 18.—A special to the Bulletin from Seattle says: Mystery surrounds the fate of 16-year-old Mrs. Hattie Parker, who has been missing from her home since January 10th. Her husband, C. W. Parker, a well-known commercial man, thinks she has been made away with. Others think the pretty wife has become tired of married life and has run away. In that case it is thought likely that she has gone to San Francisco, where she is said to have relatives.

The matter has been placed in the hands of the police. Mr. Parker has also secured the aid of private detective agencies. Telegraphic queries have been sent to all coast points.

PROTECT MERCHANTS.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SACRAMENTO, Jan. 18.—The Judiciary Committee had a prolonged discussion yesterday over the bill introduced by Senator Wolfe to protect wholesalers in their dealings with retail merchants. The bill provides that a merchant may not dispose of the entire stock of goods or of the major part of the same where it is owned in whole or in part by creditors. Several amendments were suggested, among them being one to the effect that the bill of sale should not take place until due notice had been given. The bill was finally referred to a sub-committee consisting of Senators Wolfe, Devlin, and Smith of Kern, to incorporate these amendments.

If passed, the bill will be an innovation in this State. It has the indorsement of the Merchants' Association and the Wholesale Merchants' Credit Association.

ARMY BILL.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 18.—The first vote taken on an amendment to the army bill was on a motion of Senator Mallory to strike out section 26 of the bill. The motion was lost—26 to 12. It may be considered a test vote, as the division was on political grounds.

Section 26 relates to the appointment of staff positions by the President.

LAWYERS ROBBED.

The offices of Attorneys W. R. Davis, John R. Glascock, Cary Howard and Fred W. Fry were entered last night and several small articles taken.

AUDITOR BREED'S ANSWER.

Auditor Breed has answered the complaint of John Worthington, the contractor, who seeks to recover $2,500 from the city. Breed says Worthington violated the eight-hour law.

MUST BE VACCINATED.

The Board of Health held a special meeting this afternoon. An effort will be made to secure a pest house for smallpox patients. Children in schools must be vaccinated.

A woman who is weak, nervous and sleepless, and who has cold hands and feet, cannot feel and act like a well person. Carter's Iron Pills equalize the circulation, remove nervousness and give strength and rest.

Best Treasure Tables $2.50.

One hundred of them at that price. Now is your chance. Our annual reduction sale for one month. Remember that E. C. LYON sells furniture cheap. Immense stock. 410-412-414 Eleventh street, Oakland.

Bedsteads With Mattresses.

Chairs, tables, stoves, at H. Schellhaas' corner store, Eleventh street.

Heating Stoves.

Closing 'em out at H. Schellhaas, corner Eleventh and Franklin streets.

LADIES' RELIEF SOCIETY.

Children to Be Advertised in January, 1901.

George F. Cooke, male, aged 5 years; Clarissa May Cook, female, aged 3 years; Charles F. McClure, male, aged 11 years; Everett Dugan, male, aged 9 years; Warren Hyman, male, aged 2 years and 4 months; Anchol Ferro, male, aged 1½ years; Earle C. Hall, aged 2 years and 7 months; Joseph P. Hungerford, male, aged 3 months; Albert Miller, male, aged 11 years.

JESSIE CAMPBELL, Cor. Sec. L. R. S. of O.

Oakland, January 14, 1901.

1,000 Sample Carpets

One yard square, 15c upwards, at H. Schellhaas, corner Eleventh and Franklin streets.

JUST THREE DAYS ON THE ROAD TO CHICAGO

Always on the supposition that you take the Santa Fe and its great train, the California Limited—San Francisco to Chicago. Leaves every morning at 9 o'clock—Market Street Ferry, San Francisco.

Personally conducted Excursions through to Chicago, Boston and Intermediate points. Mondays, Thursdays and Saturdays. Local and Overland Tickets at

1118 Broadway, Oakland

LEGAL.

SUMMONS.

Accompanied by a description of the property which is the subject of the action.

No. 17,330.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

Allen H. Piper, John E. Piper, Howard W. Piper, Harriet A. Stoltz, Mary E. Stoltz, Marion X. Piper, Harry L. Piper, John Q. Piper, Jacob O. Piper, Denton C. Piper, Lizzie Elkins, Emma Richey, Annie Buzzard, Nettie Fyffe, Alice M. Piper, William S. Piper, Newton O. Piper, Theodore E. Piper, Edward M. Piper and John D. Piper,

Plaintiffs,

vs.

Ella Doll, Anna L. Sheets, Le Roy Piper, John W. Piper, Lawrence R. Piper, Frederick William Baldwin (sometimes known as and called Frederick William Piper), John Doe, Richard Roe, James Black, Samuel Red, Jane Doe, Mary Roe, Josephine White, Ella Black; and all the joint tenants and tenants in common, and all persons having any interest in or any liens of record, by mortgage, judgment or otherwise, upon the real property hereinafter in this complaint described, or in or upon any part or portion thereof; and generally all persons unknown who have or claim any interest in said real property or any part or portion thereof,

Defendants.

Action brought in the Superior Court, county of Alameda, State of California, and the complaint filed in said county of Alameda, in the office of the Clerk of said Superior Court.

The people of the State of California send greeting to Ella Doll, Anna L. Sheets, Le Roy Piper, John W. Piper, Frederick William Baldwin (sometimes known as and called Frederick William Piper), John Doe, Richard Roe, James Black, Samuel Red, Jane Doe, Mary Roe, Josephine White, Ella Black; and all the joint tenants and tenants in common, and all persons having any interest in or any liens of record, by mortgage, judgment or otherwise, upon the real property in the complaint in the above entitled action described, or in or upon any part or portion thereof; and generally all persons unknown who have or claim any interest in said real property or any part or portion thereof, defendants:

You are hereby required to appear in an action brought against you by the above named plaintiffs in the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California, and to answer the complaint filed therein within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service on you of this summons—if served within this county; or, if served elsewhere, within thirty days.

The said action is brought to obtain a judgment and decree of said court that a partition of the real property described in the complaint in said action, and of which it is alleged that the plaintiffs above named and the defendants Ella Doll, Anna L. Sheets, Le Roy Piper, John W. Piper and Lawrence R. Piper are the owners in fee simple absolute, as tenants in common, and in possession, cannot be made without great prejudice to the said owners, and that therefore a sale be made of said real property according to the law in such case made and provided and the course and practice of the said court, that the proceeds of such sale, after deducting costs and expenses and counsel fees, be divided among the plaintiffs and defendants according to their respective interests in said real property; that all the defendants be required to appear and set out with particularity their several interests in and to the said real property, and the origin, nature and extent of such interests; that the court ascertain, adjudge and determine the rights and interests of the plaintiffs and defendants respectively in and to the said real property; and for general relief.

And you are hereby notified that if you fail to appear and answer the said complaint as above required, the said plaintiffs will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court, at the county of Alameda, State of California, this 28th day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred.

(Seal of Superior Court.) FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

By D. A. SINCLAIR, Deputy Clerk.

The following is a description of the property which is the subject of the action referred to in the foregoing summons, and in which said summons is issued, to wit:

First—That certain lot, piece or parcel of land lying and being in the city of Alameda, county of Alameda, State of California, and described as follows: Commencing at a point on the westerly line of Fifth street (formerly Second avenue), distant thereon two hundred and forty-three (243) feet and four (4) inches north of the northerly line of Pacific avenue, running thence northerly along the westerly line of Fifth street (if extended northerly) fifty-six (56) feet and eight (8) inches; thence at a right angle westerly two hundred (200) feet; thence at a right angle southerly three hundred (300) feet to the northerly line of Pacific avenue; thence at a right angle westerly and along said northerly line of Pacific avenue two hundred and eighty (280) feet; thence at a right angle northerly six hundred and ninety (690) feet, thence at a right angle westerly two hundred and twelve (212) feet and five (5) inches; thence at a right angle northerly four hundred and seventy-five (475) feet; thence at a right angle easterly seven hundred and twenty-two (722) feet and five (5) inches, thence at a right angle southerly nine hundred and twenty-one (921) feet and eight (8) inches; thence at a right angle westerly thirty (30) feet, to the point of commencement. Excepting the sixty (60) feet now included in Buena Vista avenue. Being a portion of block number two hundred and twenty-five (225).

Second—That certain lot, piece or parcel of land lying and being in the city of Alameda, county of Alameda, State of California and described as follows: Commencing at a point formed by the intersection of the westerly line of Fifth street (formerly Second avenue) with the southerly line of Pacific avenue, running thence westerly and along said southerly line of Pacific avenue two hundred (200) feet; thence at right angles southerly one hundred and fifty (150) feet; thence at right angles easterly two hundred (200) feet to the westerly line of Fifth street; thence along said last named line northerly to the southerly line of Pacific avenue and point of commencement. Being a portion of block number two hundred and twenty-four (224).

Third—That certain lot, piece or parcel of land lying and being in the city of Alameda, county of Alameda, State of California, and described as follows: Commencing at a point on the southerly line of Pacific avenue, distant thereon four hundred and eighty (480) feet west from the westerly line of Fifth street (formerly Second avenue), running thence westerly along said line of Pacific avenue two hundred and twelve (212) feet and five (5) inches; thence at right angles southerly one hundred and fifty (150) feet, thence at right angles easterly two hundred and twelve (212) feet and five (5) inches; thence at right angles northerly one hundred and fifty (150) feet to the southerly line of Pacific avenue and point of commencement. Excepting the right of way of the Central Pacific Railroad. Being a portion of block number two hundred and twenty-four (224).

Fourth—That certain lot, piece or parcel of land lying and being in the city of Alameda, county of Alameda, State of California, and described as follows: Commencing at a point on the westerly line of Fifth street (formerly Second avenue), distant three hundred and fifty (350) feet south of the southerly line of Pacific avenue, running thence southerly along said westerly line of Fifth street one hundred and eighty-five (185) feet; thence at right angles westerly four hundred and eighty (480) feet; thence at right angles northerly one hundred and eighty-five (185) feet; thence at right angles easterly four hundred and eighty (480) feet to the westerly line of Fifth street and point of commencement. Being a portion of block number two hundred and twenty-three (223).

Fifth—That certain lot, piece or parcel of land lying and being in the city of Alameda, county of Alameda, State of California, and described as follows: Commencing at a point on the northerly line of Haight street, distant thereon four hundred and eighty (480) feet westerly from the westerly line of Fifth street (formerly Second avenue), running thence westerly along said northerly line of Haight street two hundred and twelve (212) feet and five (5) inches; thence at right angles northerly one hundred and thirty-five (135) feet; thence at right angles easterly two hundred and twelve (212) feet and five (5) inches; and thence at right angles southerly one hundred and thirty-five (135) feet to the northerly line of Haight street and point of commencement. Being a portion of block number two hundred and twenty-three (223).

BISHOP & WHEELER, E. L. CAMPBELL, J. S. SPILMAN, ETHELBERT CALLAHAN, H. C. FIREBAUGH, Attorneys for Plaintiffs.

Probate Notice.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Benjamin Walls, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Benjamin Walls, deceased, and for the issuance to Ellen Walls of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 21st day of January, A. D. 1901, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in said county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, January 3, 1901.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

By D. A. SINCLAIR, Deputy Clerk.

FRED L. BUTTON, No 160 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., Attorney for Petitioner.

NOTICE.

All persons are hereby cautioned not to trust any one on account of the Tribune Publishing Company without a written order signed by an officer of this corporation. Any indebtedness incurred without said order will not be recognized.

TRIBUNE PUBLISHING CO.,
By W. E. DARGIE, President.

Probate Notice.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of S. L. Rogers, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of S. L. Rogers, deceased, and for the issuance to Charles E. Clausen of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Wednesday, the 23d day of January, A. D. 1901, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in said county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, January 11th, 1901.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

By D. A. SINCLAIR, Deputy Clerk.

GEO. A. LAMONT, Attorney for Petitioner, Fairfield, Solano Co., Cal.

Probate Notice.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Eben Stoddar, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Eben Stoddar, deceased, and for the issuance to Henry H. Wood of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 21st day of January, A. D. 1901, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in said county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, Jan. 5, 1901.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

By J. P. COOK, Deputy Clerk.

VAN NESS & REDMAN, Attorneys for Petitioner, Mills Building, San Francisco.

Notice of Sale of Pledged Personal Property.

Whereas, one Emily S. Smith heretofore, to-wit: on or about the 1st day of August, 1898, as security for the payment of her certain promissory note bearing date August 1st, 1898, made and given by her to Anson Barstow, deposited and pledged with said Anson Barstow a certain certificate of stock described as follows, towit: Certificate No. 4 of the capital stock of the Victoria Gold Mining Company for ten thousand (10,000) shares of the capital stock of said company of the par value of $.. per share, and standing on the books of said company in the name of Emily S. Smith, trustee, and

Whereas, default has been made in the payment of the principal sum mentioned in said promissory note, and the same is now due and unpaid:

Now therefore public notice is hereby given that the said Anson Barstow will, on Saturday, the 1st day of December, 1900, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon of that day, at the auction sales room of M. Marcuse, No. 818 Broadway street, in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, sell at public auction, by and through M. Marcuse, a duly licensed auctioneer, the above described pledged personal property, and being 10,000 shares of the capital stock of the Victoria Gold Mining Company (a corporation), represented by certificate No. 4, standing on the books of said corporation in the name of Emily S. Smith, trustee.

Terms of sale: Cash in gold coin of the United States, payable at the fall of the hammer.

Dated, November 21st, 1900.

ANSON BARSTOW, Pledgee.

MAX MARCUSE, Auctioneer.

Probate Notice.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Ida W. C. Hegelund, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Ida W. C. Hegelund, deceased, and for the issuance to Sorine Eulalia Cox and James H. Cery of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 21st day of January, A. D. 1901, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in said county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, January 4th, 1901.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

By D. A. SINCLAIR, Deputy Clerk.

THOMAS & GERSTLE, Attorneys for Petitioner, 222 Sansome St., San Francisco, Cal.

Probate Notice.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of John William Jamison, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of John William Jamison, deceased, and for the issuance to Homer Hamilton Jamison and Helen Lorena Jamison of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 28th day of January, A. D. 1901, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in said county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated January 16th, 1901.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.

By D. A. SINCLAIR, Deputy Clerk.

JOHNSON & SHAW, Attorneys for Petitioner, 460 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

Stockholders' Meeting.

Notice of stockholders' meeting. Notice is hereby given that on the 25th day of January, 1901, at the hour of four o'clock P. M., at the office of the Pacific Coast Lumber and Mill Company, southwest corner of Grove and Second streets, in the city of Oakland, Alameda county, California, the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Pacific Coast Lumber and Mill Company (a corporation) will be held for the purpose of electing directors of said corporation for the current year, and to transact any and all other business which may properly come before a stockholders' meeting.

By order of the President.

A. KENDALL.

N. C. KENDALL,
Secretary of the Pacific Coast Lumber and Mill Co.

Dated, January 15th, 1901.

LEGAL.

NOTICE.

State and County Taxes for the Year 1900.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR the year 1900.

To all taxpayers in the county of Alameda State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Tax Collector of the county of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment book of said county of Alameda, and that in accordance with the provisions of section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment book for State and county taxes for the year 1900, on all property within the county of Alameda, has been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said county of Alameda, in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, every day (except legal holidays) during office hours, after the second Monday in October, 1900, and as follows.

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property in the said county of Alameda, will be due and payable on the

SECOND MONDAY IN OCTOBER IN THE YEAR 1900,

At my office in the Court House of said Alameda county, situated in the city of Oakland, in said county, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law, and will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN NOVEMBER, 1900,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, and that unless paid prior thereto, fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1901, five per cent will be added thereto.

And notice is further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Alameda county for the year 1900 will be payable to the undersigned, Tax Collector of said Alameda county, as aforesaid, at the office of the Tax Collector, as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1st, and will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN APRIL, 1901,

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, and that unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the second Monday in October, 1900, all the taxes, whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof, or, if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth may be paid to me at my office, as aforesaid, at any time during business hours, as aforesaid, and after said

SECOND MONDAY IN OCTOBER, 1900,

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes, both first and second installments, will be given in accordance with law.

Dated at Oakland, California, this 8th day of October, 1900.

JAMES B. BARBER,
Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, State of California.

Trustees' Sale.

In accordance with the terms and under the authority of a certain deed of trust duly executed by Joseph Lesemann party of the first part, to J. West Martin and Wm. G. Henshaw, trustees, parties of the second part, of whom Wm G. Henshaw became the successor and survivor upon the death of J. West Martin, and The Union Savings Bank, a corporation party of the third part, dated April 25th, 1898, and recorded in the office of the County Recorder of the county of Alameda, State of California, in Liber 661 of Deeds at page 297 and following, and in pursuance of a certain resolution passed on the 5th day of January, 1901, by the Board of Directors of The Union Savings Bank, a corporation, and the holder of the note (No. 6,736) to secure the payment of which the aforesaid deed of trust was executed, declaring that default had been made in the payment of the interest and other sums due under said note and deed of trust, and declaring the principal sum of said note to be wholly due and requesting and directing Wm G. Henshaw, as successor and survivor of said trustees J. West Martin and Wm. G. Henshaw, named in said deed of trust, to sell the real estate described therein to satisfy said indebtedness.

I, Wm. G. Henshaw, as successor and survivor of said trustees J. West Martin and Wm G. Henshaw, do hereby give notice that on Wednesday, the 30th day of January, 1901, at 12 o'clock noon of that day, at the auction salesroom of William J. Dingee, No. 203 Broadway street, in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in gold coin of the United States, the piece or parcel of land situate in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point formed by the intersection of the southern line of Taylor street with the western line of Wood street; and running thence westerly along said line of Taylor street one hundred (100) feet; thence at right angles southerly thirty-two (32) feet four (4) inches; thence at right angles easterly one hundred (100) feet to said western line of Wood street, and running thence northerly along said line of Wood street thirty-two (32) feet four (4) inches to the point of beginning. Being a portion of block No. 63 as the same is designated and so delineated upon Boardman's Map of Oakland and vicinity, of record in the office of the County Recorder of said Alameda county.

Terms of sale: Cash in gold coin of the United States; ten per cent payable to the undersigned on the fall of the hammer, balance on delivery of deed; and if not so paid, unless for want of title (ten days being allowed for search), then said ten per cent to be forfeited and the sale to be void. Acts of sale at purchaser's expense.

WM. G. HENSHAW,
Surviving Trustee.

Notice of Application for Pardon.

Notice is hereby given to the District Attorney of Alameda County that I, the undersigned, intend to apply to the Honorable State Board of Prison Directors for the privilege of being paroled, at a meeting of the said Board, to be held at San Quentin on the 12th day of January, 1901.

TH. GOMEZ.

Notice of Sale of Ore, Etc.

Public notice is hereby given that on Saturday, the 26th day of February, 1901, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., and at the property of the Melrose Smelting Works, Fruitvale, Alameda county, State of California, we will sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash in gold coin of the United States, all the slag dump and ore situated upon said premises, in one parcel.

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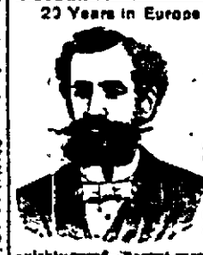

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HANDSOME GIFT TO UNIVERSITY.

Standard Oil Magnate's Benefaction to Syracuse.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Jan. 18.—Announcement is made that "a friend" has given $100,000 to the endowment fund of Syracuse University, conditional only upon a like amount being raised among other friends of the institution. The gift is made anonymously, and Chancellor James R. Day refuses to divulge the giver's name, but it is learned from reliable sources that it is John D Archibald of New York, a vice-president of the Standard Oil Company.

Mr. Archbald is the president of the Board of Trustees of Syracuse University and a close friend of Chancellor Day. This gift follows a long series of annual gifts of from $10,000 to $50 000 made by the same man in a similar anonymous manner.

The sum realized from these benefactions will be applied to wipe out the floating debt on the university property and to establish an endowment fund. Chancellor Day will start immediately to raise the amount equal to this anonymous donation. A part of the amount, he said, is already in sight and the whole will probably be raised within a year.

NIXON SHIP YARDS TIED UP BY STRIKE.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

NEW YORK, Jan. 18.—A strike in the Nixon shipyards at Elizabeth, N. J., threatens to tie up the yard and greatly delay the Government work now in progress on ships for the navy, besides a number of private contracts, including five submarine boats

The strike took place because nine alleged non-union carpenters were employed. A delegation of four men, representing the Carpenters, Painters, Joiners, and Calkers, waited on Mr. Nixon and asked if he would not discharge the men. He refused to treat with the men and instead of discharging the non-union men, discharged the delegates.

This action greatly incensed the men and they went on strike.

YALE'S BONES TO BE BURIED AT COLLEGE.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Jan. 18.—Yale graduates propose that the bones of Elihu Yale, which are interred in Wales, be removed to this country for interment on the Yale campus. The suggestion is made by Percy L. Lang, Yale '85, of Waverly, N. Y.

The suggestion of Mr. Lang is favored by many graduates. The remains of the founder of Yale are interred in the church yard at Mexhon, Wales. Secretary Anson Phelps Stokes of the Yale faculty said:

"It would be a fitting thing to do, but I should consider it quite unlikely."

FERMENT IN RUSSIA.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 18.—One hundred and fifty students recently arrested at Kieffe for engaging in political agitation have been ordered expatriated to Port Arthur, where they will do military service. The same fate awaits scores of students arrested at the capital on a similar charge. The ferment continues among students throughout the country. Disturbances are anticipated.

EDWARD MURPHY IS FOUND NOT GUILTY.

In the Police Court this morning Ed Murphy was found not guilty of battering John Lynch, father of the Lynch who is held to answer on a charge of assaulting Murphy with a deadly weapon. William Newsom and Tim Sugrue testified that Lynch, during a wordy war, approached Murphy with a bungstarter at the time of the alleged battery.

Missionary Alliance.

The Rev. A. B Simpson of New York City and State Superintendent Stevens of Los Angeles, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. Meininger of Chicago are now conducting a convention at the First Baptist Church corner of Fourteenth street and Brush. The convention in this city closes Saturday. There will be Sunday services at the Brooklyn Presbyterian Church, East Oakland, under the auspices of the Christian and Missionary Alliance.

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GREEN GOODS MAN ARRESTED.

A Postal Inspector Cleverly Traps a Wary Crook.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 18.—United States Postal Inspectors have arrested at Allentown, Pa., G. Barnett, alias Evans, whose address is not known, charged with using the mails in a scheme to defraud and of counterfeiting, and who is believed by the Government officers to be a member of a supposed gang of counterfeiters and "green goods" men, whose headquarters are in New York City and from whom scores of circulars have been sent throughout the country inviting farmers and others to come into the scheme. He was brought to this city and held in $5,000 by United States Commissioner Craig for a further hearing next Friday.

The only witness examined at the Commissioner's hearing was Postoffice Inspector M. C. Duryea, who said that some time previous to January 9th a letter was mailed to Lawrence Wheeler of Hazelton, Ind., a postoffice clerk, inviting him to buy $3 000 worth of "green goods" by paying down $1,000. The letter was unsigned, but contained the direction, "If you care to engage in this business send a telegram, of which the following is a copy. 'E Maynard, Allentown, Pa.: Send Neal electric belt No. 122.'"

Wheeler immediately reported the matter to the postal inspectors, and a trap was laid to catch the sender of the letter. Wheeler sent the telegram and soon received another letter from New York which asked him to go to Allentown to receive the goods from a man whom he should know by the pass word "Dayton." The letter was signed in a stamp "Robert H. Evans" and enclosed a new $1 bill, presumably as a sample of the notes furnished by the concern. The bill, however, was genuine. Inspector Duryea went to Allentown and represented himself as Wheeler and soon had Barnett in custody.

Inspector W. W. Dixon, in charge of the Philadelphia inspection, said the extreme caution maintained by the counterfeiters and the fact that most of the correspondence was carried on by telegraph instead of by mail, made it impossible to locate the headquarters of the syndicate in New York.

SMITH BROTHERS NOT AGENTS FOR NEW HISTORY.

Editor TRIBUNE, Oakland—Kindly give notice in your paper that we have nothing further to do with the agency of "The World's History and Its Makers," which is now being offered for sale to the Oakland public. This offer is made under the representation of an offer of gift of ten unbound volumes, with the urgent request that these copies be bound by the publishers of this work at, we believe, $1.30 for cloth and 1.60 for half-leather binding. The price charged for binding we consider full value for the book itself, as the paper illustrations and general manner of binding could be greatly improved upon and yet make money at the price they charge for binding alone.

We were induced to take hold of the agency under certain conditions and representations which we are sorry to say have not proved satisfactory. We regret exceedingly this first necessity in eighteen years of business to offer apology to your reading public for the sale of goods, the quality of which does not come anywhere near our standard for the price asked. We wish to deny emphatically and positively that the solicitors or agents have any connection with our store in the matter of inducing subscriptions to this work. Our only connection with the firm was from the point of receiving the unbound copies, sending them to bindery and returning them finished to the customer, after the "Premium" copies had been distributed. This arrangement has never been carried out, as we have yet to see one of these copies.

If you will kindly give the above items space in your paper you will greatly oblige, yours very truly,

"SMITH BROS."

BULLET WHIZZED NEAR HER HEAD.

While Mrs. Luneberg was sitting by her parlor window at 62 "A" street yesterday afternoon a bullet crashed through the pane and lodged in the woodwork at the rear of the room. The matter was promptly reported to the police, who believe the shot was fired by some boy while hunting on the marsh a short distance from the house.

SAMMY IS GUILTY OF SHOOTING "CRAPS."

Sammy Hawkins, a colored lad aged 16, arrested yesterday for "shooting craps," was convicted this morning in the Police Court, and sentence will be pronounced February 18th In the meantime he is out on his own recognizance.

Death Sentence Commuted.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

OTTAWA, Ont., Jan. 18.—An order in council has been passed commuting the death sentence passed on James Slorah of Dawson, Yukon, to imprisonment for life. Slorah, who was a bartender, shot and killed his wife, Pearl Mitchell. Slorah was sentenced to be hanged on March 1st.

She Is Not Guilty.

The charge of disturbing the peace against Mrs. Mary Hewitt, who occupies the Berkeley dwelling of George W. Hull, the Arizona copper king, was tried yesterday in Judge Quinn's court and resulted in the defendant's acquittal. The complaint was sworn to by the former Mrs. Hull, but the evidence showed that the two women had never exchanged words.

Death of Mrs. Daingerfield.

Amelia Dangerfield, a native of Philadelphia, aged 33 years, died last night at her home, 1928 Poplar street. Her death was due to tuberculosis. The funeral will take place Sunday.

INVENTORY SALE

IT BEGINS TOMORROW-SATURDAY

In looking over our store previous to stocktaking we find that we have at this season of the year far too much clothing on hand, therefore we have decided that it must go, and make this

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ever heard of in the history of the clothing trade. We will just chop off ¼ from the regular prices on all standard made clothing, their lines and styles are up to date. In addition to this we have gathered all the broken lots and cut the prices on some of them more than ½ off.

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Men's Overcoats, regular $8.50 and $10 value, they come in the new Oxford Grey, unloading for $5

Men's Overcoats, regular $11.50 and $12.00 value—quite a few to select from, unloading for $6.75

The Raglin; the proper thing, $15 and $16.50 value, unloading for $9.75

Men's Pants; $2.50—$3 value, unloading for.... $1.95

Boy's Overcoats, $3—$4 value, unloading for.... $1.75

Boy's School Suits, double seat and knee—value 3.00, unloading for $1.75

Children's Middy Suit, the nobby kind, $3 and 3.50 value, unloading for $1 75

Boys' Knee Pants, size 4 to 14, unloading for..... 15c

Boys' and Men's Wool Sweaters, 1.00 and 1.25 value unloading for 45c

Boys' Percale Shirts, 50c and 75c value, unloading for 25c

Boys' Underwear, 50c value, unloading for..... 25c

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1063-65 BROADWAY, OAKLAND.

POLITICIANS ARE AT WORK IN THE ENGINAL.

ALAMEDA, Jan. 18.—A new local party is to be formed to replace the old Harmonie Hall Club, which for years has played an important part in politics here. The new organization will endeavor to harmonize conflicting interests and will enter the fight in the coming municipal campaign. A number of new candidates for city offices have appeared. Captain H. A. Thompson, who has been a prominent member of the Harmonie Hall Club, will run for City Trustee, and J. D. Jamison, a former guard at San Quentin, is spiring to be a candidate for Chief of Police to run against the incumbent, John Conrad. W. A. Gunn will also be a candidate for the position. C. L. Robinson is to be in the running for the office of school director and H. L. Zimmerman is mentioned for the same office. City Attorney E. K. Taylor will retire and a warm fight for the office will take place between A. F. St. Sure, who is now City Recorder, and Captain M. W. Simpson.

M. Stuart Taylor is making a fight for the office of City Recorder and R. B. Tappan is also a candidate. George Sturtevant, formerly postmaster, and now a deputy City Clerk, is also James Gillogly. City Treasurer Wheeler will run again and so far has no opponent.

SNATCHED PURSE AND MADE ESCAPE.

Miss May Barnett, a bookkeeper in the employ of G. Mosbacher, while on her way to her home, 1330 Myrtle street, last evening, was followed for several blocks by a well-dressed young man, who finally overtook her at her front gate and quick as a flash snatched her purse, containing $1.35.

The footpad then took to his heels, while Miss Barnett rushed into her home and fell exhausted to the floor.

One of her brothers immediately notified Policeman Greenwald, who telephoned to Captain Peterson. Several officers were detailed, and late last night Policeman Garrity arrested on suspicion a young man named Ross Cluff, aged 24, who claims his home is in San Francisco.

When searched at the City Prison, where he was registered on the "small book," nothing was found connecting him with the crime.

BROKE WHEEL LAW AND THEN WENT TO JAIL.

The police have once more directed their howitzers against bicycle riders who, in using the sidewalk as a speed path, fail to turn off in passing pedestrians. The city ordinance provides that while cyclers may use the sidewalks after 1 o'clock in the morning until sunset, they must either dismount or turn off the walk when they approach persons on foot.

Officers Turner and Henderson were detailed to conduct the opening raid, as it were, and took their position at Eighth and Market streets at 7 o'clock this morning. Ten minutes later the first unsuspecting cycler, P. Hangley, a railroad man, who failed to dismount or leave the sidewalk, was arrested.

In the next hour and a half the following were likewise apprehended: M. M. Rodigkelt, barber; H. Anderson, apprentice; David Craig, stairbuilder; Fred Savage, woodworker; George Schubert, gardener; J. Jones, clerk; J. H. Sears, clerk; W. A. Bremmer, clerk; John Simons, locksmith, and W. F. Kroll, real estate agent.

Those arrested were released promptly on furnishing $5 cash, bail. Their cases will be heard in the Police Court tomorrow morning.

WIFE CLAIMS SHE WAS FORCED TO MARRY.

Annie E. Simmons has been granted an annulment of her marriage with Warren J. Simmons by Judge Hebbard of San Francisco.

She produced evidence to corroborate her story that Simmons had forced her to marry him under threats of killing her if she refused and that immediately after the ceremony he deserted her and went to Manila. The couple were residents of San Francisco, but were married in Oakland October 26, 1896.

Warning to Bicyclists.

The dozen or more bicyclists arrested yesterday and this morning for violating the city ordinance which requires them to turn off the sidewalk whenever approaching pedestrians, were each sentenced to pay a fine of $5. They all pleaded guilty.

Old People's Home.

The directors of the Old People's Home will hold their annual meeting in Bartlett Hall, corner of Pine and Seventh streets, January 24. New officers will be elected.

CHAS. ERICKSON WILL CONTEST UNCLE'S WILL.

Charles Erickson, a trusted employe of the Oakland Gas, Light, Heat and Power Company, and whose home is at 912 Thirty-fifth street, declares that Leros Erickson, who died recently in San Francisco, leaving $10,000 to a strange woman, is his uncle, and he will institute a contest over the will.

Young Erickson has conferred with Public Administrator Boland of San Francisco, and as a result has retained an attorney and has written to his father in Sweden requesting a power of attorney so that the heirs in Sweden might be represented when the will comes up for probate.

"Leros Erickson, who died New Year's Eve, was my uncle. I am satisfied he was," said Charles Erickson. "He left home fifty years ago. That was before I was born, but my father told me to see if I could find him in this country. I have always been on a lookout for him. I have taken steps now to contest his alleged will, for I do not believe it to be genuine. I am sure there is something wrong about the will written by the woman named Armstrong to whom $10,000 is bequeathed."